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THE WAR IN PARAGUAY.

Capture of Ascurra by the Allies—Reported Flight of Lopez—The Provisional Government Installed in Asuncion.

LISBON, Sept. 20.—The mail steamer from Rio Janeiro has arrived, and brings important intelligence. Dispatches received at Rio, from Asuncion, dated Aug. 15, report that the Allies have captured Ascurra and Piribebin. President LOPEZ has fled, and the Paraguayans can no longer continue the struggle. The Provisional Government has been installed at Asuncion. This news has caused great rejoicings in Brazil and the Argentine Confederation. The war was considered at an end, and the Cities of Buenos Ayres, Montevideo, and Rio Janeiro were illuminated.

Hon. HENRY T. BLOW, Minister of the United States to Brazil, had arrived at Rio Janeiro.

THE CUBAN QUESTION.

The Sickles Note Discovered to be Friendly—The Attitude of France—A Protectorate Scheme Stifled.

LONDON, Sept. 20.—The *Post* this morning says it now appears that America has only made friendly representations to the Madrid Government in favor of the reasonable demands of the Cubans. It is probable that NAPOLEON suggested to the Regency that Spain should act considerately toward Cuba, and so disarm American influence.

The French Government favors a reconciliatory policy at Madrid, and non-intervention at Washington.

The *Standard* says, PRIM's attempt to induce England and France to join in a protectorate for Cuba has totally failed.

More About the Attitude of France and England—An Amicable Understanding Probable.

BRUSSELS, Sept. 20.—The *Independence Belge* thinks it improbable that General PRIM would claim the good offices of England and France to prevent the recognition of the Cuban insurgents as belligerents by the United States. If he should make such a demand, he certainly would receive a negative answer. But should the answer of either country be favorable, the intervention of a third party would be sure to lessen the chances of success for Spain. The Washington Administration will follow a policy, based on the public opinion of the country, with prudence and consideration. Should that course lead to the recognition of the Cubans, no suggestion from Europe could have any effect.

PARIS, Sept. 20.—The *Journal des Débats* believes France and England are disposed to support Spain with their counsel. But the menacing character of affairs has considerably diminished, and there is reason to hope that the misunderstanding with the United States has been brought to a satisfactory termination.

FRANCE.

The Napoleonic Dynasty—Rivals for the Succession—The Empress and Prince Napoleon Parties.

LONDON, Sept. 20.—The Paris correspondence of the *Times* says the Emperor's recovery has caused a lull in the fiery debate which had begun between the party of the Empress and the friends of Prince NAPOLEON. The rivalry already displayed by each faction gives a foretaste of what is in store for France when the death of the Emperor lets his family loose, and gives up the State to their unseemly discords.

THE IMPRISONED FENIANS.

Their Liberation Imperatively Demanded—An Imposing Demonstration in London.

DUBLIN, Sept. 20.—The *Irishman* to-day says no terms for Ireland will be acceptable without the release of the Fenians. It is the verdict of the Irish people that England must set these men free or avow that her promise of a better Government for Ireland is a lie.

LONDON, Sept. 20.—The demonstration in favor of the imprisoned Fenians took place to-day. Processions were formed in Clerkenwell, and with bands of music, and bearing flags and mottoes, marched in perfect order to Trafalgar-square. There a meeting was organized. Six thousand persons were present. GEO. HENRY MOORE, member of Parliament for Mayo, presided. Mr. MOORE, on taking the chair, addressed the meeting. He condemned the English Government for the prolonged incarceration of political offenders, contrasted its conduct in this respect with that of other States in Europe and America, and concluded that England could only be compared with Russia. He hoped the British people would no longer tolerate such excessive severity, and demanded the liberation of the prisoners as a matter of justice. Mr. BRADLAUGH and others followed in the same strain. Resolves urging the unconditional pardon of the Fenians were unanimously adopted. The proceedings were very enthusiastic. No disturbance whatever occurred.

GERMANY.

The Humboldt Centennial in Berlin—A Rumor about Baden.

LONDON, Sept. 20.—The *Times* regards the celebration of the Humboldt anniversary in Berlin as shabbier than that held in any city of the Old or New World. The total absence of the upper classes, because they regarded the festival as a Liberal demonstration, is not balanced by the congratulations of Princes and Princesses.

PARIS, Sept. 20.—A rumor is current that Prussia is about to annex the Grand Duchy of Baden.

CANADA.

Movements of Prince Arthur—Departure from Quebec and Flight Through Montreal.

QUEBEC, Sept. 20.—Prince ARTHUR made a short tour around the harbor on Saturday. A reception was given by Lieutenant-Governor BELLEAU, and a banquet was given at the Stadacona Club-house, in the evening, by Governor BELLEAU. On Sunday he went to church at the English Cathedral. To-day, at 10 o'clock, the Prince left Point Levi on a special train for Montreal.

MONTREAL, Sept. 20.—Prince ARTHUR arrived here at 5 o'clock this afternoon, and was received by General WYNDHAM, who drove him to Rosemount, his future quarters, where the Prince dined privately, and left at 7:30 o'clock for London, Ontario.

JAPAN.

Currency and Trade—Another Outbreak Apprehended—An Attempt to Set Up a New Mikado Frustrated—The Duke of Edinburgh.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 20.—Private advices from Japan, received by the last steamer, are as follows:

The Japanese currency was in a bad way, and much spurious money was in circulation. The paper currency was at a discount; trade was dull and business almost at a stand-still.

The Mikado was still at Yeddo. Great jealousies existed among the Daimios, and another outbreak was expected before long.

A conspiracy broke out at Kiota a few weeks ago, the object of which was to set up another Mikado there. The plan was nearly completed when it was discovered and put down. It was organized by people opposed to the proposed return of the Mikado to Yeddo. Japan was by no means in a settled condition.

Consul-General SEWARD was expected there. Preparations to receive the Duke of EDINBURGH were in progress. Extraordinary attention will be paid him from all sides, and he will be shown as much of Japan as he can well see.

CUBA.

Spanish Volunteers Setting out for the Field.

HAVANA, Sept. 20.—More companies of the new battalion of volunteers have gone to the seat of war.

NEW-ORLEANS CUSTOM-HOUSE.

General Steedman's Administration—An Alleged Discrepancy of $600,000—Arrival of Perry Fuller.

NEW-ORLEANS, Sept. 20.—A suit has been entered in the United States Circuit Court against General JAMES B. STEEDMAN, Ex-Internal Revenue Collector for this district, and his sureties, by the United States District-Attorney, for over $600,000, which amount, after the adjustment of accounts by the proper officers, is found to be due by STEEDMAN, as TAX Collector, to the Government.

PERRY FULLER has been brought here from St. Louis, charged with complicity in the $3,000,000 "Ring" swindle on the Government. He was admitted to bail in $20,000 to appear in November next.

FATAL RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

A Collision at Athens, Penn.—Three Persons Killed and Many Wounded.

WAVERLY, N. Y., Sept. 20.—At 7:30 o'clock this morning the express train on the Pennsylvania and New-York Railroad, bound north, collided with the way train, standing on the track, at Athens, Penn., four miles from this place. One person was killed outright—WILLIAM MABEE, of Towanda, Penn., and another has since died. NELSON W. ACKLEY, of Dushore, Penn., Republican candidate for the Legislature from that district, and several others, were injured. Mr. ACKLEY died soon afterward. Mrs. ZELANDA SPALDING, of Milan, Penn., and GEORGE BEERS, fireman of the express train, were seriously injured, and others slightly. The way engine had stopped to take water, and owing to a dense fog the engineer of the express train was unable to see the flag sent back to notify him of the danger ahead. The officers of the road and many physicians were on the ground, and the wounded were well cared for and will recover. The Coroner will hold an inquest on the bodies to-day. There is much excitement at Athens. The road will be cleared for the passage of trains by noon.

The Last Order in the Albany and Susquehanna Railroad Case—A Joint Receivership.

CORNING, N. Y., Sept. 20.—The motion to appoint new receivers of the Albany and Susquehanna Railroad Company was made by the Attorney-General before Judge T. A. JOHNSON to-day. Messrs. JOHN K. PORTER and A. J. VANDERPOEL appeared as counsel for the Ramsey directors, and Messrs. DAVID DUDLEY FIELD, and THOS. G. SHEARMAN for the Church Directors, while A. A. REDFIELD, of New-York, and Hon. W. F. ALLEN, of Albany, each claimed the exclusive right to represent the Company, the former being recognized by the Attorney-General. ROBERT L. BANKS and JAMES MCQUAIDE were appointed joint receivers by general consent, and all further litigation was directed to be had in their names in this proceeding, in which the validity of the late election and of the alleged fraudulent issue of stock is to be determined. Further proceedings were adjourned to Oct. 1, at this place.

Destructive Fire in Medina, N. Y.—Two Business Blocks Burned.

ROCHESTER, Sept. 20.—Two large blocks in Medina were destroyed by fire yesterday morning. The following are the names of the losers: James Skinner, boot and shoe store, $1,500, insured for $1,000; John Parson, tin shop, $1,500; Fuller & Godley, hardware store, $13,000, insured for $7,800; Healey & Son, drug store, $12,000, insured for $6,000; Mrs. Smith, loss on building, $3,000, no insurance; Silas Smith, loss on building $3,000, insured; John Alcorn, grocery; K. W. F. Smith, jeweler, loss $600, no insurance; Wm. M. Smith & Co., loss $6,000; E. H. Rennwig & Sterfel, clothing, loss $2,500, insured; Empire Hotel, loss on furniture and building, $16,000. There were also other minor losses.

A Strange Case of Destitution—A Family Homeless and Starving.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 20.—A party of eight persons, consisting of T. C. I. CHAFFE, his wife and wife's sister and five children, the youngest twelve weeks old, were found on the road near this city on Saturday in a most destitute condition. They were without money, starving and almost naked. CHAFFE stated that they left their home in Leavenworth County, Kansas, in February last for Philadelphia, where they have friends, and have traveled the entire distance on foot, living by charity on the way. They were provided for here, and a liberal subscription in money was raised for them. Yesterday they resumed their journey to Philadelphia by boat.

The Lowell Poisoning Case—Twenty-one Lives Lost During the Storm.

BOSTON, Sept. 20.—The examination of LOUISA W. MINER, charged with poisoning the family of Dr. JEANNESS, of Lowell, resulted in her discharge.

Twenty-one persons, belonging to Rockport, were probably lost during the gale on the 8th inst. Seven bodies have been recovered and brought home, and received Christian burial. All were engaged in the fishing business.

Death of a Boston Physician.

BOSTON, Mass, Sept. 20.—Dr. S. D. TOWNSEND, a well-known physician of this city, died yesterday at the age of 72.

Incendiarism in Nashville—A Foundry Partially Destroyed.

NASHVILLE, Sept. 20.—The well-known foundry of ANDREW ANDERSON was set on fire last night in the pattern-room. All the patterns were burned. They cost originally about $40,000, but cannot be replaced for double that amount. Part of the building was destroyed; but the lower story, containing the machinery, was saved. There was no insurance. The foundry was occupied by J. B. ROMAINE, lessee.

A similar attempt was made on Saturday to burn the foundry of STEWART NEWBURN.

POLITICAL.

The Mississippi Campaign—Speech of Judge Dent.

MEMPHIS, Sept. 20.—In his speech at Corinth on Saturday, Judge DENT said there were two parties at present in Mississippi. One was known as the "Bitter Enders" or "Extremists," the other as the National Republican Union Party. To the latter he belonged, and from that party he had received the distinguished honor of being placed at the head of the ticket, and been chosen their standard-bearer in the present campaign. The one party, led by TARBELL, AMES, ALCORN & CO., wanted to disfranchise the white people, while the party he belonged to was in favor of universal suffrage and amnesty.

Addressing the colored people, about one hundred and fifty of whom were present, he said he would urge them in the strongest terms not to be antagonistic to the people of the South, among whom they had been born and raised. He assured them the Southern men loved them, and would respect them in their rights better than any stranger could do. He said many white men who came from the North were constantly contending that it was through their efforts that the colored race had procured its freedom. Such was not the fact, as General GRANT and many other distinguished soldiers and statesmen had declared that it was only a circumstance of war; that it was never intended to give the colored man his freedom until it became a war necessity. Neither was it intended to give them the right to vote until it became a political necessity in the work of reconstruction. He contended that they need not thank the people of the North for the rights and privileges they enjoyed; urged them to be aware of the party of which TARBELL, General AMES, ALCORN & Co. were the leaders, but to join their ranks, with true Southern men, who would protect them in their rights. It was only by doing so that their race could be perpetuated. If they failed to join those who loved and really understood them, they would drift away like the Indians to the frontier of civilization, and in a few years entirely disappear. All AMES, TARBELL & Co. wanted was office; that was all their pretended patriotism consisted of. After they got all they wanted through the votes of the colored men, they would turn round and mock at their calamity. They belonged to the proscriptionists, and would deprive them of all rights if it would serve their purposes; therefore he urged them to support those who would protect them in their rights. He closed his address by calling on those assembled to support the men who were in favor of peace throughout Mississippi and the entire country, and who were in favor of equal rights to all. The Conservative Republicans held a ratification meeting at Jackson, Miss., yesterday. A number of speeches were made.

Delegates to the Democratic Convention at Syracuse, and other Conventions.

UTICA, N. Y., Sept. 20.—HORATIO SEYMOUR, FRANCIS KERNAN and MILES B. FARGO have been elected delegates to the Democratic State Convention from Oneida County.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Sept. 20.—GEORGE GRIFFIN was to-day nominated delegate to the Democratic State Convention by the Democrats of the Second Assembly District.

E. CRUMMEY is the appointed Democratic delegate from the Second Assembly District to the Second Judicial District Convention.

SING SING, N. Y., Sept. 20.—At the Third Assembly Democratic District Convention, held at Pine's Ridge to-day, ABRAHAM HYATT, of Sing Sing, was appointed delegate to the State Convention, and AMOS B. CLARK alternate. MITCHELL LAIRD was appointed delegate to the Judiciary Convention, and GEORGE H. SUTTON alternate, and JESSE HUNT, WILLIAM MEAD, WILLIAM MARSHALL, Jr., JAMES M. BARD and WILLIAM EDGAR LAWRENCE were appointed delegates to the Senatorial Convention. Resolutions were adopted expressing entire confidence in Hon. WILLIAM CAULDWELL, and earnestly recommending his renomination.

OSWEGO, Sept. 20.—At the First Assembly District Democratic Convention Hon. A. S. PAGE was appointed State delegate, and C. T. RICHARDSON Senatorial delegate.

The Republican State Convention—Delegates.

OSWEGO, Sept. 20.—At the First Republican District Convention held to-day, J. C. CHURCHILL, D. G. FORT and OREN HENDERSON were elected delegates to the State Convention; and CHAS. E. DOWNS, B. B. PLACE, GEO. GOBLE, GEO. B. SLOAN and JOHN FULLER were appointed Senatorial delegates.

The New-Jersey Republicans.

NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 20.—The Republican City Convention have nominated Ex-Governor MARCUS L. WARD for Mayor of the city. He peremptorily declined, but the party hopes to overcome his objections.

The Pennsylvania Republicans.

BEDFORD, Penn., Sept. 20.—Great dissatisfaction exists among the Republicans of this county in regard to the renomination of A. STULEMAN, of Somerset, for Senator, and by the unanimous vote of the County Committee he has been requested to withdraw.

Massachusetts.

BOSTON, Sept. 20.—Senator SUMNER will preside at the Republican State Convention in Worcester on Wednesday.

The Condition of Governor Church Still Critical.

ROCHESTER, Sept. 20.—The symptoms of Governor CHURCH were much more unfavorable Sunday. He was attacked severely with pneumonia about 2 o'clock in the morning. At 7 o'clock he was easier, and again at 11 o'clock he was reported in a dangerous condition. Since his relapse the fears of his friends that he will never recover seem to have increased.

The Humboldt Festival in San Francisco—An Earthquake.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 19.—The Germans of this city united in a procession to-day in memory of the centennial anniversary of the birth of Baron VON HUMBOLDT. It was a fine affair.

An earthquake occurred throughout Northern Arizona on Sept. 5, but no damages are reported.

Fire at Cape Elizabeth.

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 20.—The house and stables of Captain CHARLES H. SMITH, in Cape Elizabeth, were destroyed by fire last night. The loss is not stated. The insurance is $4,500. The fire is supposed to have been caused by an incendiary.

Theft of Uncurrent Bank Bills.

MEADVILLE, Penn., Sept. 20.—About noon to-day a package of the old bills, of the issue of the Bank of Crawford County, was abstracted from the office of the assignee, who had received them for cancellation. These bills are uncurrent.

Base Ball—The Washington Nationals and the Haymakers.

TROY, N. Y., Sept. 20.—A game of base ball was played here to-day between the Nationals, of Washington, and the Haymakers, of Lansingburg, which resulted in favor of the Haymakers, by a score of 24 to 17.

An Old Man Robbed of his Last Dollar.

From the Milwaukee Wisconsin, Sept. 16.

A few days since a furniture maker, living in a country town near Albany, N. Y., found himself in such poor health that he was advised by physicians to come West. He was an old man, and it seemed hard at his time of life to start out and make him a new home among strangers. The physicians told him he must do so, and he sold everything he possessed, realizing the sum of $750 therefor. Purchasing a ticket to Milwaukee, and intending to go thence to Green Bay and open a small store, the old man and his wife started for the West. His pocket-book, with all the money he had in the world, was in a side pocket of his coat. At the depot in Chicago the old man says he felt himself jostled, but did not think of his money, believing it to be safe, until at Waukegan when he went to pay for his supper, he found it was gone—every dollar of it—had been without doubt stolen in the depot in Chicago. One can imagine the feelings of the old man thus robbed, but it is not easy to depict them. He came on to this city and when he told his story a handsome little sum of money was raised for him and he was sent on his way to Green Bay, and in his new home we hope the world will treat him kindly.

WASHINGTON.

The Naval Vessels in Active Service—Kentucky Pardons—Post Office—Donglass the Printer—The Executive Mansion.

Special Dispatches to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—The following is a summary of our naval forces in the several fleets now on duty. This includes only the vessels actually on the various stations. It could at short notice be tripled, both as to ships and guns:

North Atlantic Squadron.—Screw steamers *Albany, Nipsic, Seminole, Severn, Tuscarora* and *Yantic*, 46 guns; paddle-wheel steamers, *Gettysburg* and *Powhatan*, 15 guns; iron-clads, *Dictator* and *Saugus*, 4 guns; total, 10 vessels, 65 guns.

South Atlantic Squadron.—Screw steamers *Lancaster* and *Quinnebaug*, 27 guns; sloop *Portsmouth*, 15 guns; paddle-wheel steamer *Wasp*, 1 gun; total, 4 vessels, 43 guns.

European Squadron.—Screw steamers *Franklin, Juniata, Plymouth* and *Richmond*, 60 guns; storeship *Guard*, 6 guns; total, 4 vessels, 66 guns.

Pacific Squadron.—Screw steamers *Dacotah, Kearsarge, Mohican, Nyack, Ossipee, Pensacola* and *Resaca*, 56 guns; sloops *Jamestown* and *St. Marys*, 16 guns; paddle-wheel steamer *Saginaw*, 2 guns; storeship *Onward*, 4 guns; total, 11 vessels, 77 guns.

Asiatic Squadron.—Screw steamers *Aroostook, Delaware, Iroquois, Maumee, Oneida* and *Unadilla*, 36 guns; paddle-wheel steamers, *Ashuelot* and *Monocacy*, 12 guns; steamship *Idaho*, 7 guns; total 9 vessels, 55 guns.

On Special Duty.—Paddle-wheel steamers *Michigan* and *Tallapoosa* and frigate *Sabine*, 36 guns.

KENTUCKY OFFICE-SEEKERS.

A large number of Kentucky office-seekers have arrived here, and were to-day in the office of the Secretary of the Treasury, in Commissioner DELANO'S rooms and at the Post Office Department, endeavoring to secure appointments to Assessorships and to Post Offices in that State. There are no less than six applicants alone in this city at present for the Louisville Post Office, besides eight or ten other gentlemen who are anxious to serve their country as Internal Revenue Assessors in the same section.

THE COLORED PRINTER'S CASE.

The Typographical Union of this city has not thus far taken any action on the question of the admission of DOUGLASS, the colored printer, the whole subject having been postponed until next January.

THE EXECUTIVE MANSION.

The White House improvements and alterations will soon be finished. The exterior of the building was washed to-day by one of the steam fire-engines, and the carpets will be put down about the middle of the week.

THE WEATHER AND THE CITY'S HEALTH.

The weather in this city for some time past has been delightfully cool. To-day, however, the mercury went up to almost its July figures. The general health of the city is good, and the malaria so much complained of in other years appears to be less prevalent than usual.

Dispatches to the Associated Press.

THE GEORGIA STATE FAIR.

Secretary BOUTWELL, Commissioner DELANO and Commissioner CAYTON have accepted invitations to attend the Georgia State Fair, to be held at Macon, Nov. 16. A steamer will leave here early in November for Savannah, where the party will take a special train. Other prominent Government officials will probably attend.

NAVY.

Secretary ROBESON has issued a general order modifying the naval regulations so far that, when a foreign vessel-of-war, belonging to a country in amity with the United States, shall arrive in a port of the United States where there is a vessel of the navy, the commanding officer shall, without delay, send a proper officer on board to offer the usual civilities and assistance in his power. If a foreign vessel bears the flag of an Admiral or Commodore commanding a squadron, and salutes the flag of the United States, salutes will be promptly returned; and the commanding officer of the vessel will call upon the Admiral or Commodore and salute them, in each they return his call. The same rule will be observed when commanders of foreign squadrons visit a navy-yard or station. In all cases when the flag of a nation to be saluted is afloat, it will be hoisted at the fore-royal masthead and the 5th, hoisted at the first and hauled down at the last gun.

The United States steamer *Shamokon*, iron double-ender, now at this Navy-yard, has been up for sale for some time, but no bids have been received. She is the only remaining vessel of this class in the navy.

Captain JOHN C. FREMONT has been ordered to special duty under the Bureau of Yards and Docks. Commander ROBERT W. SHUFELDT is ordered to the command of the *Shantmomah*.

THE SHUMAKER CASE.

Judge FISHER to-day overruled the motion to instruct the jury to acquit Shumaker in the unsigned currency abstraction case.

The Murders and Lynchings in Wisconsin.

From the Milwaukee Wisconsin, Sept. 17.

Following the murder of the venerable SCHUYLER GATES at Kilbourn City comes a murder at Portage City and the lynching of the murderer. The sending of three persons into eternity by murder in the same vicinity is a matter of sufficient importance to create a wild sensation in any neighborhood, and such sensation exists at Portage and Kilbourn City. The details of the murder of Mr. GATES, a farmer living near Portage City, by a negro named BRAIN, have been given, with the story of the populace, who broke open the jail and hung BRAIN to a tree. A gentleman of this city, who left Portage City last night, gives us more items that may be of interest. BRITT and SPAIN were both members of the Nineteenth Infantry, and in service a dislike to each other sprung up between them and made them enemies for life. They have on more than one occasion indulged in severe language toward each other, but never have before gone further than words.

Some time AGO, Mr. GATES, of Kilbourn City, was robbed of a large sum of money, and PAT WILDRICK was arrested for the robbery. He was let out on bail, but a short time after was caught in the act of robbing Mr. GATES, and sent to Portage Jail. When Mr. GATES was murdered, it was believed that the friends of WILDRICK did the act to destroy the evidence against their companion; and when BRAIN, a lawyer of Portage City, undertook the defence of WILDRICK, there was much said about such action, and a strong controversy arose relative to the case. Mr. BRITT sided with BRAIN, and SPAIN siding with him, high words ensued, and hence the fatal double tragedy. So strong was the feeling that at a late hour last night it was still determined to take PAT WILDRICK from the jail and hang him; but it was believed that better counsels would prevail. Many believe that mob law had already been carried much too far.

There is no denying that the people of Portage City and Kilbourn City have suffered severely from the acts of a gang of desperadoes who infest that vicinity, robbing, burning and murdering where the latter is necessary, and it is equally certain that law's tardy delays have severely tried the patience of the people, while they have made the desperate gang more bold and reckless than ever.

Last night, our informant tells us, it was fully determined to organize a vigilance committee of the best known citizens in the place and set the committee to work, with instructions not to stop until every thief, desperado, blackleg and murderer was either hung to a tree or driven from the neighborhood in such a manner as to quell any ambition to ever have to return.

Stabbing Affray in the Twentieth Ward.

Last evening CARL HOCHLISTINER was met in Forty-first-street, near Tenth-avenue, by Jos. FARRELL and JOSEPH EATON, who soon picked a quarrel with him, and in the affray which followed, CARL was badly assaulted, and received a dangerous stab wound in the head. Officer AUSTIN, of the Eighth Ward Police, arrested FARRELL and EATON, and brought them to the Eighth Ward Police Station. The injured man was taken home, but could give no intelligible account of the cause of the affray.

THE ODD FELLOWS.

Meeting of the National Grand Lodge at San Francisco.

History of the Growth of the Order.

Abstract of the Grand Sire's Report—The Grand Encampments and Lodges Represented—Opening Ceremonies.

From Our Special Correspondent.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Saturday, Sept. 11, 1869.

The National Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows of the United States will hold its annual Convocation, in this city, on the 20th inst. A few facts and figures relative to the organization may be of interest.

In 1834 there were only six lodges composing the entire Order in America, three of which were in the City of Baltimore, and one each in Philadelphia, New-York and Boston. In that year the Grand Lodge of the United States was organized, ("Father" WILDEY, the founder of American Odd Fellowship, being the first Grand Sire,) which gave an impetus to the operations of the Order, and essentially contributed to its subsequent wide extension. At the close of 1839 the Society had been established in nearly all the central States on the Atlantic seaboard. Fifty-eight subordinate lodges were at work, and ten jurisdiction Grand Lodges had been instituted in Pennsylvania, New-York, Massachusetts and the District of Columbia. The aggregate membership at this time was about three thousand. In the next decade, ending in 1849, Delaware, Ohio, Louisiana, New-Jersey, Kentucky, Virginia, Indiana, Mississippi, Missouri and Illinois had added their Grand Lodges, making at that time fifteen grand bodies, with one hundred and fifty subordinate lodges, containing in all about eleven thousand members. At the termination of the succeeding ten years Grand Lodges had been organized in Texas, Alabama, Connecticut, South Carolina, Tennessee, North Carolina, New-Hampshire, Michigan, Wisconsin, Vermont, Iowa and Arkansas. At this period, 1859, there were thirty Grand Lodges in the Order, and 2,354 subordinate lodges, with about 175,000 members. Since 1859 Grand Lodges have been instituted in Florida, Minnesota, California, Lower Provinces of British North America, Canada West, Oregon, Nebraska, Kansas, West Virginia, Nevada and Colorado, and subordinate lodges, under the immediate jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of the United States, opened in Montana, Dacota, Utah, Arizona, Washington and Idaho Territories. For several years the Order has been established in New-Mexico and the Sandwich and Vancouver's Islands, and during the last year it was introduced into Australia, (colonies of Victoria and New-Zealand,) where there are two Grand Lodges and one Grand Encampment already existing, with several large and flourishing subordinate bodies, which were formerly in affiliation with the Ancient Independent Order of Odd Fellows of England, but which have now, with great unanimity, adopted the ritual and work of the Order in this country, and accepted a charter from the Grand Lodge of the United States. On the first day of July, 1868, there were on the American Continent alone forty-one Grand Lodges and three thousand one hundred and ninety-five subordinate lodges, comprising an aggregate membership of two hundred and forty-five thousand and thirty-six, not including the membership of the more recently organized or new lodges instituted during the previous term in the whole Order from which no reports were due. The present membership in the Independent Order of Odd Fellows on this continent approximates three hundred thousand, in over thirty-five hundred subordinate lodges, located in almost every town, village and hamlet throughout the land. The foregoing figures relate only to the actual "contributing members," or those in full connection with some working lodge, and do not include a class of as many more holding "withdrawal cards," or "cards of clearance."

The number of contributing members of the Order in each jurisdiction is about as follows: Maine, 3,100; New-Hampshire, 3,600; Vermont, 1,200; Massachusetts, 10,000; Rhode Island, 1,100; Connecticut, 2,500; New-York, 16,000; New-Jersey, 10,000; Pennsylvania, 73,000; Delaware, 3,000; Maryland, 14,000; District of Columbia, 3,000; Virginia, 3,000; West Virginia, 3,200; North Carolina, 1,000; South Carolina, 1,100; Georgia, 1,500; Florida, 300; Alabama, 1,000; Mississippi, 1,500; Louisiana, 2,000; Texas, 1,600; Arkansas, 1,000; Tennessee, 4,500; Kentucky, 9,000; Ohio, 32,000; Indiana, 18,000; Illinois, 20,000; Michigan, 7,500; Wisconsin, 6,000; Iowa, 8,000; Missouri, 8,500; Kansas, 2,000; Minnesota, 1,200; Nebraska, 800; Colorado, 600; Nevada, 1,500; Oregon, 2,000; California, 13,000; the Territories, 1,000; Lower Provinces, British North America, 400; Ontario, 1,900; Australia, 5,000. Total, 301,600.

The aggregate membership of the various branches of the Order of Odd Fellows in all parts of the world is considerably over 1,000,000. In Great Britain alone there are more than 500,000 Odd Fellows. The Encampment Branch of the Order in this country is exceedingly prosperous. This is usually denominated the "Patriarchal Branch," and is the highest department of the institution, working entirely separate from the Lodge Branch. There are thirty-two State Grand Encampments, and nine hundred subordinate encampments, with a total membership of upward of 60,000. Leaving out the work for the first ten years on this continent, the official records state that up to July, 1869, the number initiated into the order was 866,843. The aggregate revenue received for all purposes reported foots up $33,552,224; number of members relieved, 526,579; number of widowed families relieved, 62,508; total amount of relief paid, $14,189,402. The greatest number of persons initiated in any one year was in the last fiscal year, ending the 1st of July, 1869, being 40,737; evincing that the Order is not only maintaining its numerical strength, but increasing in larger ratio than at any previous time.

The officers of the National Grand Lodge are as follows:

E. D. FARNSWORTH, Nashville, Tenn., M. W. Grand Sire; F. D. STUART, Washington, D. C., R. W. Deputy Grand Sire; J. L. RIDGELY, Baltimore, Md., R. W. Grand Secretary; J. VANSANT, Baltimore, Md., R. W. Grand Treasurer; Rev. J. W. VENABLE, Versailles, Ky., W. Grand Chaplain; J. GRISWOLD, Elizabeth, N. J., W. Grand Marshal; J. W. SMITH, Waterbury, Conn., W. Grand Guardian; J. E. CHAMBERLAIN, Baltimore, Md., W. Grand Messenger.

From the M. W. Grand Sire's annual report, which will be submitted at the opening of the session, the following is extracted:

"Although a comparatively young jurisdiction, California already ranks among the strongest of our State organizations, and is destined under a future administration, correspondent to that which has characterized it in the past, to outstrip most of its elder sisters. The truth of this assertion is supplied not so much in the number as in the zeal and activity of her lodges; in their stability, strength, and resources; in the extent and efficiency of their work, the large amount of relief afforded, in the great interest displayed to advance the usefulness of the Order by supplying the means of high moral and intellectual culture to the membership, and in that grand and noble spirit of fraternity which has rendered her name a synonym with munificence and liberality throughout the Order. From every country in which our brethren are employed, without exception, there comes up a good report, and a spirit of generous emulation obtains in all parts of the moral vineyard. Whether we regard its home work or its foreign, the users distant fields of labor to which Odd Fellowship has been borne in that broad spirit of propagandism which seems to characterize its nature, peace and concord, brotherly love and general prosperity greet the eye, as the grateful rewards of its benign and heaven-born principles."

Many important measures will come before the Grand Lodge at this session, which will probably continue for one week. After the session closes the representatives will spend several days in viewing the wonders and attractions of the Golden State, and will return to their respective homes in a special train of PULLMAN'S palace cars, arriving in New-York on or about the 10th proximo.

The Opening Session—Courtesies Extended by Other Bodies.

Dispatches to the Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 20.—The Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows of the United States opened its session here to-day, R. W. Grand Sire FARNSWORTH presiding. Thirty Grand Lodges and sixteen Grand Encampments are represented. The address of welcome was delivered by the Grand Master of California, and was responded to by R. W. Grand Sire FARNSWORTH. Invitations were accepted from the Chamber of Commerce tendering a reception this evening; from the Board of Supervisors to visit the public offices and institutions; from the Fire Commissioners to witness the operations of the Department; and from the Mercantile Library, offering the free use of their rooms and library. A visit will also be made to the Stock Exchange Board when it is in session. Vice-President COLFAX visited the Grand Lodge this morning.

EX-SECRETARY SEWARD.

His Speech in Salem, Oregon—His Expectations in that State and Views of its Future.

The Sacramento *Union* furnishes the following report of Hon. WILLIAM H. SEWARD'S speech in Salem, Oregon:

The older States, situated eastward of the Missouri and below the base of the Rocky Mountains, have complete industrial, social and political systems, and fixed habits. The traveler there is intrusive, if, under any persuasion, he attempts to speak of their peculiar resources, policies or duties. Deference to this principle determined me, when I left Auburn, to make no wayside speeches during my present journey. The magnet, when brought into the presence of iron, finds it no harder to maintain its own polarity than I have found it to adhere to my prudent resolution ever since I crossed the banks of the Mississippi. I am traveling in regions grand and vast, but comparatively new and among communities incompletely organized, needful of immigration and capital, and therefore ambitious that their resources, advantages and attractions may be made known. Art has seldom produced a more striking picture than the abandoned infant Hercules defending himself against serpents in his cradle. How poor that admired conception appears when contrasted with the precarious but energetic and successful vigor and energy of emigrants from the Atlantic shores settling and establishing new States—members of the American Republic—in the native forests, wildernesses and deserts which extend across the American continent. Relying upon their own energies, as all the States of this Union at every stage of their existence must rely, they disdain the sympathy of all foreign nations. Do they require too much in asking that their capacities and loyalty to the Union shall be known and appreciated? I early accepted and continually held fast to these several political convictions: First—That if a nation desires to be independent and prosperous, and enjoy peace at home and abroad, it must expand itself commensurately with its resources and advantages. Second—That human bondage is incompatible with a successful Republic. Third—That the permanent continuance of European or monarchical Government in the American hemisphere would be injurious and dangerous to the United States. Fourth—That in the expansion of the Republic, the establishment and acceptance of new States on the same footing as the original States, is essential for the security of civil and religious liberty. I seem, indeed, to myself to have lived chiefly for the purpose of laboring to defend an inchoate Republic against external and internal dangers, and to expand it upon the principles I have mentioned. Let the world judge, then, of the satisfaction I enjoy in witnessing the success of this policy, and of the gratitude I feel in being so kindly received here, at the capital of one of the new States of Oregon, as I have been received before at the capitals of the other new States and Territories which I have visited. You will excuse me if the habit of nationality of thought and reasoning which I have contracted has rendered me incapable of considering Oregon as an isolated State, or of separating my ideas of her condition and products from the general ideas which I have found of all the States and Territories, mutually connected with each other, and subordinate in their proper relations as parts of the whole United States. In California there is no longer need for external encouragement. The highest expectations of its settlers have not unjustly ripened into absolute assurance. San Francisco is firmly established as the Constantinople of the American empire, and California exercises fully and wisely an important political influence in the United States and throughout the world. The other new States and Territories have not yet secured an equal position. The dwellers in these States are constantly asking of every visitor, "What do you think we shall be, and when?" I must answer with the same confidence which, among men of little faith, has sometimes been procured for me in the character of an optimist. Kansas, in her infancy, the Cinderella, has already become a leading and effective member of the political family by which she was despised. Nebraska, standing upon the west side of the Missouri, has seized the railroads of the Atlantic States, and welded and riveted them with the system of railroads which has successfully begun to traverse and ramify the States and Territories of the Pacific shore. Wyoming, Colorado and New-Mexico, surmounting Indian troubles and reckless speculations, have reached a point of civil and social establishment from which it need not be feared they will recede. I have not yet been able to visit Arizona, but I have learned enough of Montana, Idaho and Utah to know that they are reasonably assured of a successful and prosperous career. Nevada, although politically separated from California, is a full sharer in her rising prosperity and greatness. Considerations of convenience, not choice, carried me northward before I was able to visit Oregon. The Territories of Washington and Alaska, extending (with the exception of British Columbia) from the forty-ninth parallel of latitude along the islands and coasts of America to the Arctic Ocean, are, as might be expected, feebler than the more southern States and Territories. Nevertheless, I realized, if, indeed, I did not discover, in these Territories a new, peculiar and magnificent field of commerce and empire. I found one continuous and expanding archipelago along the coast, from the base of Puget Sound, in Washington, to Mount St. Elias, in Alaska. I found land and sea teeming with provisions for the subsistence of a population adequate to bring the marine, mineral, animal and vegetable resources of that remote and secluded region into a productive State. The neglected portion of the country furnishes even now, to refined nations in northern climates, the furs which, from considerations of need and of luxury, they continually demand. No metal used in arts or commerce is absent there. The forests are luxuriant, universal an inexhaustible. When I saw British, Chinese and Chilian, as well as American vessels, bearing away the timber and lumber with difficulty wrested from the wasting fires of the Summer by the feeblest of all American populations, and conveying them away for use in civil and naval architecture on both sides of the Pacific Ocean, I needed no other suggestion of the fact that I

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PRINCE ARTHUR.

His Journey to Quebec—Approach to the Metropolis—Reception of the Governor-General's Party by the People.

From Our Special Correspondent.

QUEBEC, Canada, Tuesday, Sept. 16, 1869.

The reception of Prince Arthur by the citizens of Quebec has been more enthusiastic than even that of Toronto. It has been a continuous ovation from the moment of his arrival under a cloudless sky, to seldom indeed does deep waters break and high rocks, seems more natural than the deep feeling of loyalty which has been aroused in the hearts of the people by the presence of the Prince. The party left Montreal at 8 o'clock this morning, and the journey down the St. Lawrence, a distance of 180 miles, was performed in a steamer called the Prince of Wales, which was gaily decorated with flags and bunting. The weather was all that could be desired, and the trip was a most delightful one. The scenery on the St. Lawrence is very fine, and the numerous villages which are passed by the steamer, with their white churches and cottages, add much to the beauty of the landscape. The river is dotted with numerous islands, which are covered with trees to the water's edge, and which add much to the picturesque appearance of the scenery. The banks of the river are also studded with numerous villages, which are passed in quick succession, and which, with their churches, add much to the beauty of the scenery. The river is also dotted with numerous steamers, sailing vessels, and boats, which, with their gaily dressed occupants, added much to the interest of the trip. The steamer Prince of Wales was followed by a number of steamers, filled with excursionists, who had come out to meet the Prince, and who cheered him as he passed. The Prince was on the deck of the steamer during the greater part of the day, and was the recipient of many cheers from the excursionists who followed in the wake of the steamer. The Prince was also serenaded by the bands on board the steamers which followed in the wake of the steamer. The Prince was also saluted by the guns of the forts and batteries which he passed on the route. The Prince was also saluted by the guns of the forts and batteries which he passed on the route. The Prince was also saluted by the guns of the forts and batteries which he passed on the route. The Prince was also saluted by the guns of the forts and batteries which he passed on the route.

AT THE CITY HALL.

The members of the City Government were present, except four members sent to Ottawa on business connected with the corporation of an American city. Mr. Jacobson of Cape Vincent, a salaried gray as a four-year old.

Reception Reception in New-York City.

From the Albany Journal, Sept. 16.

The Forty-second-street Committee has taken action professedly to secure a united delegation to the State convention. While this is very desirable, it is by no means the main object to be aimed at. It is not known at Syracuse we want so much an harmony in New-York. A united representation in Convention is not a desirable thing for the country. Had always been that and honorable, and had we always been that and honorable, and had no doubt that should they wish to organize a consolidated party. The three Committees might compromise matters. So far as the State Convention is concerned, and that leaves all the delegates free to act as they may deem best. Let there be more parties. The time is opportune. We need the entertainment which not only to be indorse Governor Fenton's position, but to be ready to support him for the Senate. Let there be a Republican party in the city, a Democratic party, a Conservative party, a Temperance party, a Workingmen's party, and return again later.

THE STATE FAIR.

Reasons of the Receipts—The Horses, their Treatment and Breeding—Other Reports.

From our special correspondent.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Friday, Sept. 17, 1869.

The State Fair for this year has closed, and it is generally regarded as a successful one in most points of view. In so far as the attendance is concerned, it was unprecedented, and it is generally regarded as a success. The horses were a good lot, and showed care in breeding, which is the great desideratum. A carefully-trained horse can do more than a badly-handled one, even though the latter is the superior animal. Yet breeders must have something to transact, and attend to their own departments. Their endeavors should all be turned to promoting the best blood, and then to rearing the young stock to that full development which will have the greatest development on the largest possible scale. High blood, generous keep, free exercise in the open paddock, all contribute at the earliest age. High blood, generous keep, free exercise in the open paddock, all contribute to the speed and endurance of the horse. Training is another matter, and one of the most important. Many horses are ruined by it. Many are made by it. Many are spoiled by it. Many are made by it. Many are spoiled by it. Many are made by it. Many are spoiled

COMMERCIAL AFFAIRS.

NEW-YORK, Monday, Sept. 20, 1869.

The receipts of the principal kinds of Produce since our last have been as follows:

Ashes, pkgs.	30	Pitch, bbls.	50
Beeswax, pkgs.	6	Reeds, bbls.	3,109
Cotton, bales	5,678	Petroleum, ref., bbls	4,718
Cutch, bbls.	62	Naphtha, bbls.	844
Dried Fruit, pkgs.	71	Coal Measure, pkgs.	25
Eggs, bbls.	603	Lard, pkgs.	73
Flour, bbls.	16,945	Butter, pkgs.	1,220
Wheat, bushels	222,213	Cheese, boxes	4,477
Corn, bushels	168,082	Tallow, pkgs.	200
Malt, bushels	500	Stearine, pkgs.	200
Oats, bushels	57,813	Tobacco, hhds.	143
Flaxseed, bushels	220	Tobacco, bxs. and cs.	159
Beans, bushels	54	Whisky, bbls.	227
Cornmeal, bbls.	350	Wool, bales	627
Hops, bales	70	Oil, lard, bbls.	70
Hides, No.	1,604	Oil Cake, pkgs.	465
Skins, bdles.	1,420	Molasses, bbls.	63
Leather sides	12,343	Cottonseed, bags	3,100
Spirits Turp., bbls.	75	Linseed, bags	300
Tar, bbls.	200	Rough Rice, bags	273

The export clearances since our last, as reported at the Merchants' Exchange, Pine-street, have been as follows:

By the steamer *Virginia*, for Liverpool—60,346 bush. Corn, 1,200 lbs. Beeswax, 320 hhds. Tobacco, 2,064 lbs. Manufactured Tobacco, 440 bbls. Resin, 54,000 lbs. Tallow, 2,084 bbls. Flour, 27 pkgs. Machinery, 25 tierces Beef, 400 lbs. Bacon, 1,000 lbs. Lard, 187 bales Cotton, 99 bales Hops.

By the bark *Constantine*, for London—631,661 lbs. Oil Cake, 32,727 lbs. Cottonseed, 454 bbls. Resin, 32 pkgs. Drugs, 21 cases Chairs, 24 tierces Tobacco, 75 kegs Tobacco, 2,180 lbs. Beeswax, 320 bbls. Tobacco, 2,064 lbs. Manufactured Tobacco, 440 bbls. Resin, 54,000 lbs. Tallow, 2,084 bbls. Flour, 27 pkgs. Machinery, 25 tierces Beef, 400 lbs. Bacon, 1,000 lbs. Lard, 187 bales Cotton, 99 bales Hops.

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By the bark *Sailor Prince*, for Antwerp—126,580 gallons Refined Petroleum.

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ASHES—A fair inquiry has been reported, at steady rates. Pots, $7 37½@$7 62½; Pearls, $9@$9 25 ₱ 100 lbs.

COFFEE—The general market has been quiet to-day. Prices have not varied essentially. A sale of about 900 bags Rio, by the *Union*, was reported, but without reliable particulars. We quote: Java, 22c.@24½c.; Maracaibo, 18½c.@20½c.; Laguayra, 18½c.@19½c.; Rio, 18½c.@21½c., in bond; Ceylon, 17½c.@19½c.; Jamaica, 16c.@16c.; Singapore, 20c.@23½c.; Costa Rica, 14½c.@18c.; Manilla, 16c.@16c.; Mexican, 16c.@18c.; Savanilla, 14½c.@18c., gold, ₱ lb.

COTTON—Has been offered more freely for both immediate and forward delivery, at reduced prices, in most instances fully ¼c.@¾c. ₱ lb. off Saturday's quotations, leading to a livelier business. Sales have been reported of 2,261 bales, (of which 1,417 bales were to actual consumers,) including 1,000 bales to shipping manufacturers, and 300 bales to speculators. Also, 1,100 bales for forward delivery, including 100 bales, averaging Low Middling, for September, at 28c.; 200 bales do., for September, at 28¼c.; 100 bales, basis of Low Middling, for September, at 28c.; 100 bales do., for September, at 28¼c.; 100 bales do., for October, at 27c.; 150 bales do., for December, on private terms; 100 bales do., for December, at 28c.; 100 bales do., for January, at 28c.; 200 bales do., for January, at 28c. ₱ lb.

Closing Prices of Cotton.

	Uplands.	Mobile.	N. O.	Texas.
Ordinary	26	26¼	26¼	26¼
Good Ordinary	27	27¼	27¼	27¼
Low Middling	28¼	28¼	28	28¼
Middling	30	30¼	30	30¼

Movements of Cotton at this Port.

	Bales.
Receipts since Sept. 1	7,279
Receipts same period last year	12,581
Receipts preceding week	3,619
Receipts since Sept. 1, 1868	15,496
Receipts since Jan. 1	371,152
Receipts this year ending Sept. 1, 1869	638,727
Receipts last year ending Sept. 1, 1868	638,231
Receipts year ending Sept. 1, 1867	320,814
Export clearances since our last	4,477
Exports since Sept. 1	7,279
Exports since Jan. 1, 1869	370,262
Exports year ending Sept. 1, 1869	638,479
Exports year ending Jan. 1, 1869	338,557
Exports year ending Sept. 1, 1868	376,381
Stock here	4,500

Movements of Cotton at all the Shipping Ports.

Receipts from Sept. 1 to latest dates	41,000
Receipts year ending Sept. 1, 1868	1,265,357
Receipts at all ports year ending Sept. 1, 1868	2,240,262
Receipts at all the shipping ports of the United States, from the close of the war, May, 1865, to Sept. 1, 1867	1,522,988
Exports from Sept. 1 to latest dates	6,730
Exports year ending Sept. 1, 1869	1,447,813
Exports year ending Sept. 1, 1868	1,457,015
Exports preceding Cotton year	1,558,787
Estimated stock at this period to latest dates	29,700
Estimated stock Sept. 1, 1869	11,500
Estimated stock Aug. 31, 1868	36,730
Crop of 1868-9	2,600,587
Crop of 1867-8	2,420,262
Crop of 1866-7	1,961,986

FLOUR AND MEAL—The main inquiry has been for desirable lots of Spring Wheat brands of State and Western plain, the offerings of which have been on a restricted scale, at comparatively steady prices. Other grades have attracted very little attention though quoted a shade easier in most instances. Sales have been reported, since our last, of 11,350 bbls., in lots, including poor to choice Superfine State and Western at $5 90@$6 20; very inferior to good Extra State at $6 25@$6 75; good to choice genuine Spring Wheat Extra State at $6 55@$7 10; and poor to good shipping brands of Round-hoop Extra Ohio at $6 20@$8 55 ₱ bbl. Of the sales, 4,000 bbls. were Extras for export, including Western at $6 25@$6 40, chiefly at $6 35, and State at $6 50@$6 60 ₱ bbl. We quote:

Superfine State and Western	$5 80@$6 20
Extra State	6 25@ 7 10
Extra Illinois, Indiana, &c.	6 15@ 7 60
Extra Ohio, round-hoop, shipping brands	6 25@ 8 40
Extra Ohio, trade and family brands	6 60@ 8 60
Extra Genesee	7 10@ 8 00
Common to Fancy to Extra Missouri	6 20@10 25

Southern Flour is quiet at drooping prices. Sales have been reported, since our last, of 700 bbls. at $6 75@$7 for fair Ordinary to choice Extra. ₱ bbl. Californian Flour is in limited request at $6 50@$9 50 for Extra ₱ 196 lbs.; sales of 300 bbls. and sacks. Rye Flour is in moderate demand at $4 50@$6 50 for very inferior to choice, ₱ bbl.; sales 275 bbls. Cornmeal is in light demand at $3@$5 50 for Western; $5 10@$5 50 for Jersey, and $6 25 for Brandywine, ₱ bbl.; sales 125 bbls.

GRAIN—Wheat has been quite plenty and quoted off in price 1c.@2c. ₱ bushel on a moderately active trade, the market closing in favor of buyers, especially for Winter, which has been in most liberal supply. Sales have been reported since our last of 219,300 bushels, including White Western at $1 60@$1 67; Red and Amber, do., unsound to very choice, at from $1 40@$1 55, chiefly at $1 47@$1 50 for sort, and $1 51@$1 53 for very good to strictly prime; No. 1 Spring (small lots) at $1 52@$1 53; No. 2 Spring, at $1 42@$1 43; No. 3 Spring at $1 48; No. 3 Spring at $1 35; White Genesee at $1 65@$1 66; White Southern at $1 65@$1 80, the latter for very choice; Amber Southern at $1 50@$1 51; White Canada at $1 70@$1 71; California at $1 70@$1 71 ₱ bushel. Corn has been freely offered and purchased, at, however, a further reduction in prices, closing heavily. Sales have been reported, since our last, of 91,800 bushels at 97c.@$1 06½ for damaged and heated Yellow Mixed; 97c.@$1 07½ for poor to choice Mixed Western; $1 14@$1 18 for Yellow Western, ₱ bush. Rye has been held above the views of buyers, and has been inactive. Of Barley, small sales of State have been reported at $1 30@$1 40, and of Canada at $1 70, an extreme price, ₱ bushel. Oats have been in light demand and depressed in prices. Sales have been reported, since our last, of 41,000 bushels at 62c.@66c. for Jersey; 63c.@66c. for choice White, closing at 62½c.@63c. for Prime, ₱ bushel. The export clearances were 2,024 bbls. Flour, and 69,243 bushels Wheat for Liverpool; 3,304 bbls. Flour, and 15,372 bushels Wheat for London.

Stock of Grain in New-York and Brooklyn Warehouses, Sept. 20.

Wheat, bushels	683,881	Barley, bushels	5,948
Corn, bushels	314,205	Malt, bushels	182,250
Oats, bushels	50,566	Peas, bushels	8,511
Rye, bushels	53,079		

Including 175,000 bushels of California Wheat.

HAY—Bay Hay continues in fair request at 60c.@ 65c. for shipping, and 70c.@$1 15 for local use ₱ 100 lbs. Straw is attracting more attention at 55c.@65c. for Short and Long ₱ 100 lbs.

HEMP—Manila is quoted up about 1c. ₱ lb., and some movements are reported as in progress, but parties are not disclosed.

HIDES—Have been steady but not active; 5,212 Montevideos have been sold at 21c.@21½c., gold, ₱ lb.; 186 Corrientes on private terms.

HOPS—Have been in moderate demand; prices have not varied. We quote: New-York State, new, 15c.@20c.; Eastern, new, 12c.@17c.; Ohio, new, 12c.@ 15c.; Yearlings, 6c.@9c.; Old Olds, 1c.@2c. ₱ lb. Receipts, 70 bales; exports, 30 bales.

LEATHER—Sole has been salable at unchanged prices. Receipts, 18,345 sides.

MOLASSES—No important dealings transpired today. Prices remain as last quoted: Porto Rico at 58c.@ 62c.; Cuba at 55c.@62c.; New-Orleans at 60c.@75c. ₱ gallon; and in detail thus:

	Old Crop.	New Crop.
Cuba, Centrifugal and Mixed, ₱ gallon	35c.@37c.	37c.@40c.
Cuba, Clayed, ₱ gallon	37c.@42c.	40c.@40c.
Cuba, Muscovado, refining grades, ₱ gallon	—@—	48c.@54c.
Cuba, Muscovado, grocery grades, ₱ gallon	—@—	55c.@62c.
Porto Rico, ₱ gallon	—@—	53c.@75c.
English Islands, ₱ gallon	—@—	48c.@65c.
New-Orleans, ₱ gallon	—@—	60c.@65c.

NAVAL STORES—Resin has been very quiet at about previous quotations; sales 170 bbls. Strained at $2 30@$2 35; No. 2 at $2 40; No. 1 and 60 bbls. Pale at $2 60@$2 75, ₱ 280 lbs.; receipts, 2,109 bbls.; exports, 204 bbls. Tar has been inactive, but firm; 60 bbls. Washington changed hands at $2 20, ₱ bbl.; receipts, 200 bbls. Crude Turpentine has been dull and nominal. Spirits Turpentine has been in quite moderate request on the slightly reduced basis of 42½c.@43c., generally 42½c. for merchantable lots, in gallon; sales 174 bbls.; receipts, 73 bbls. Pitch neglected; receipts, 50 bbls. We quote Spirits Turpentine at 42½c.@44c., chiefly at 42½c. for merchantable, ₱ gallon; Crude at $3 50@$3 60; Resin at $3 30@$3 75; $6 80 for the latter rate for Choice Strained; $4 50@$5 25 for No. 2; Pale at $6 50@$7 50 ₱ bbl.

OILS—There has been more call for Linseed at firmer prices. Whale Oil has been in some request, and 300 bbls. Crude have been sold on private terms. In other kinds there has been little movement. Sales of Lard Oil were 1,000 gallons Whale at $1 02@$1 05; Bleached Whale at $1 12½@$1 15; Crude Sperm at $1 78@$1 80; Unbleached Sperm at $1 92½@$1 95; Bleached Sperm at $2; Land Oil at $1 41½@$1 50; Linseed at 85c.@86c.; Raw at 83c.@85c., in casks and barrels; Olive at $1 67½@$1 75 ₱ gallon.

PETROLEUM—A fair inquiry prevailed for Crude at 16¾c.@17c., in bulk, at which some 2,400 bbls. have been placed, and 1,000 barrels, which also changed hands. At Philadelphia barreled Crude was quiet at 23¼c. ₱ gallon. At Pittsburg, on Saturday, a light business was transacted in Crude in bulk, on the basis of 14¾c. on the spot; 14¾c., seller all the month, buyer all the year. There were nominally large receipts of Crude here; 670 bbls. arrived at Philadelphia. Refined Oil has been more freely dealt in, generally on the basis of 32½@32¾c. for Standard White, various deliveries, ₱ gallon, showing a shading in prices favorable to buyers. Sales have been reported here of 11,500 bbls. Standard White, September deliveries, mainly at 32¾c.@32¾c.; 1,500 bbls. do., early October delivery, at 32¾c.; 1,000 bbls. do., closing at 32¾c.@33c.; 500 bbls. do., October to December deliveries, on private terms, ₱ gallon—making a total of 17,000 bbls. Also at Philadelphia, 21,500 bbls., including 1,500 bbls. Standard White, for September delivery, on private terms; 4,000 bbls. do., September to December delivery, at 32¼c.; and 16,000 bbls. do., October to December delivery, at 32¼c.@32¾c. ₱ gallon. At Pittsburg, Refined was dull on Saturday, and without established prices. The receipts of Refined here were 4,718 bbls.; at Philadelphia, 1,570 bbls. The export clearances hence were 223,145 gallons for Antwerp. Standard White, in cases, has been in light request at from 44c.@45c. ₱ gallon. Of 1,000 bbls. and Prime White at 32c.@32½c. ₱ gallon. Naphtha is in demand at 10¼c.@11c., 12 bbls. White sold at 46c. bbls., and 16c.@16½c. in cases, ₱ gallon. Receipts, 400 bbls. The quotations for empty barrels for Crude Oil were 2c.@2½c. and for Refined 2½c.@3 cents.

PROVISIONS—Pork has been in rather more request for trade use at firmer prices. Sales have been reported since our last of 600 bbls., in lots, at $21 25@ $21 37½ for Mess, and $19 75@$20 for Prime and Extra Prime ₱ bbl. Hams are in active at previous rates; sales have been reported of 120 packages at 14¼c.@15c. for Dry-salted and Sweet-pickled Shoulders and 20c.@22c. for Bagged Hams ₱ lb. Bacon has been in fair request for Rib sides, at 16c.@16½c., and Clear at 17c.@17½c. Lard has been in better request since our last, of 350 tierces and bbls. at 16¼c.@16¾c. for No. 1; to Choice Refined, sweetened, delivery at 18c.@ 18¼c. for City, and 18¾c.@18¾c. for Good to Prime Chicago, and choice Delaware, Chemango, &c., dairies sell slowly at as low as 24c. We do not hear of any fine Welsh dairies arriving; the Welsh per ice car on Thursday was mostly cleared at 32c. Old stock Western Butter drags slowly; there were sales of lots at 20c.@22c., and selections at higher prices. September make is coming forward. Michigan to Iowa brings 30c.@ 32c., but the Western cities are taking their best qualities now at better prices than can be made here. The ordinary fresh arrivals of Western are bringing about previous rates. We quote:

Fine Fall State Butter	32c.@34c.
Delaware, Chemango, &c., dairies	30c.@32c.
Lewis, Jefferson, Oneida, &c., dairies	28c.@30c.
Western in tubs, prime to choice	27c.@29c.
Western, fresh make	20c.@21c.

CHEESE.

Receipts for the week were 34,887 boxes. Exports for the week were 19,800 boxes. The market is fairly firm for small lots of good Cheese at previous rates; any fraction above 16c. is only obtainable for Fancy factory ends. The English market, being now largely supplied with home make (which is said to be large), renders shippers somewhat independent of this market, and they will not buy largely unless at less price. The receipts of the State factories are 4,000 to 5,000 boxes per day, and stock on hand at perhaps 250,000 boxes; We quote:

Prime New Factories, Firsts	16c.@16¼c.
Factories, Seconds	15½c.@15¾c.
Private Dairies, Ordinary	12c.@15c.
Skimmed Cheese	7c.@10c.

EGGS.

There has been good steady demand all the week, and, with only moderate receipts, prices have favored the seller. At the close the market is well cleared of stock and prices are firm. Our quotations are at the mark. We quote:

Jersey State, ₱ dozen	28c.@30c.
Western	26c.@28c.
Egg Oats, ₱ bushel	50c.@60c.

POULTRY.

Chickens and Fowls have been in large supply, and prices have ruled lower. The balance of the list are in good demand at quotations. We quote:

Turkeys, ₱ lb.	21@ 22
Fowls, ₱ lb.	18@ 19
Ducks, ₱ pair	75@ 1 00
Geese, ₱ pair	1 00@ 1 50
Chickens, ₱ lb.	18@ 20

BEESWAX.

Is quiet and unchanged, say 41c.@44c. for Western and Southern.

TALLOW.

The demand is light and prices are firm at 11c.@ 11¼c.

SEEDS.

Cloverseed is dull and nominal; new Timothy is arriving and meets with fair demand. Flaxseed is in good demand. We quote:

Clovers, ₱ bushel	$ 11¼@ 12¾
Timothy, ₱ bushel	4 00 @ 4 50
Flaxseed, ₱ bushel	2 45 @ 2 50

DRIED FRUITS.

There is a good demand for new Apples, and prices are steady. Old are very dull and prices are nominal. New Peaches are in large supply and dull. Old Peaches are in good demand; the balance of the list is in light stock and wanted. We quote:

Apples, State	8c.@ 9c.
Apples, Ohio	7c.@ 8c.
Apples, Southern, new	8c.@10c.
Dried Peaches, 1869, peeled	13c.@15c.
Dried Peaches, 1868, peeled	12c.@15c.
Dried Peaches, unpeeled, halves	7c.@ 8c.
Dried Peaches, unpeeled, quarters	9c.@11c.
Blackberries, ₱ lb.	12c.@14c.
Cherries, pitted, ₱ lb.	23c.@27c.

ASHES.

Pots are quiet but firm. Pearls are a little easier. We quote:

Pots	$7 37@—
Pearls	9 00@ 9 25

GREEN FRUITS.

Apples have been very plenty and are lower. Bartlett Pears, when large and handsome, not too ripe, sell quick at our quotations; when inferior, as most of the lots arriving have been, they are hard to sell except at low figures. We quote:

Fall Pippins, ₱ bbl.	$3 00@$5 00
Golden Sweet, ₱ bbl.	2 50@ 3 00
Greenings, ₱ bbl.	2 00@ 4 00
Common, ₱ bbl.	1 00@ 1 50
Pears, Bartlett, ₱ bbl.	6 00@16 00
Pears, Sickel, ₱ bbl.	6 00@10 00
Pears, cooking, ₱ bbl.	2 00@ 5 00

THE NEW-YORK CATTLE MARKET.

NEW-YORK, Monday, Sept. 20, 1869.

The market at Communipaw was dull this morning for horned Cattle, although there were some unusually fine beasts on sale, the prices realized for which were consequently high, higher than any that have been quoted for several weeks past. The reasons from the fact of its fashionables for distant watering places has a material effect on this branch of trade. The Sheep also were higher-classed animals than those of the last few weeks, and sold well and quickly. Swine went off slowly, no sales were effected within the drove.

Prices received for Cattle were as follows:

Prime Bullocks, 17c.; first quality, 16¼c.; second quality, 15¼.; third quality, 10c.; this day's average, 15½c.; highest prices quoted, 17c.; lowest prices quoted, 10c. ₱ lb.

SALES TO-DAY.—J. H. DALBEY sold for J. H. SMITH 92 Texans for 10c. ₱ lb., weight 5 cwt.; for W. KELLY, 34 Illinois for 14c. ₱ lb., weight 6¼ cwt. T. R. BEAT sold for ALEXANDER & CO. 125 Illinois for 14¼c.@15¼c. ₱ lb., weight 6 cwt. TOFFEY & SONS sold for ALEXANDER 96 Illinois from 12c.@15c. ₱ lb., weight 6¼ cwt. G. W. MCMAHON sold for self 86 Missouri and Ohio Cattle, Common, from 10c.@14c. ₱ lb., weight 6 cwt. MORIE & MCMURRAY sold 45 Ohios from 10c.@ 14c. ₱ lb., weight 7 cwt.; 40 Ohios, best in the market, from 14c.@17c. ₱ lb.; also 84 Kentuckys from 15c.@ 16¼c. ₱ lb. M. BEACH sold 223 Illinois, fair, from 13c.@15c. ₱ lb., weight 6¼ cwt.; also 128 Texans, from 12c.@13c. ₱ lb., weight 5½ cwt. to 6 cwt.

BELLIS & PIDCOCK'S sales for last week—306 Sheep, 19,380 lbs. at 7c. ₱ lb., very good, rather extra; 217 Sheep, 19,180 lbs. at 8¾c. ₱ lb., good; 313 Sheep, 17,900 lbs. at 4c. ₱ lb., fair; 220 Sheep, 18,350 lbs. at 5¼c. ₱ lb.; 230 Sheep, 17,970 lbs. at 5c. ₱ lb.

KASE & HAUVER'S sales, week ending this day, Sept. 20, 1869—1,617 Sheep, average 94 60 ₱ head. At Hudson City yards—1,701 Sheep and Lambs, average 81 ₱ head. Weight of first lot 6,070 lbs. at 7¾c. ₱ lb.; weight of second lot 5,521 lbs. at 8c. ₱ lb.

Sold at CHAMBERLIN'S Market Nos. 70 and 72 Robinson-street—3,074 Sheep and Lambs at 4c.@6½c. ₱ lb.; 19 Cows and Calves, at from $45 to $60; and 250 head, sold together; 178 Calves at $10, $12 and $13 ₱ head.

Arrived to-day—1,785 horned Cattle, 2,451 Sheep and Lambs, 3,833 Swine, all reached the market in 156 cars.

The Texas Cattle Fever in California.

From the San Francisco Bulletin, Sept. 16.

An effort was made, we believe, at the last session of the Legislature, to enact a law forbidding the introduction of Texan cattle into this State. For some reason the effort failed. The high prices which have ruled for beef cattle of late have tempted hundreds of Texan scrub cattle toward California. Several of these droves reached the State some months ago, and we have recently heard of lots of 3,000 cattle which were being driven in. Not long since a band of 500 Texan scrub cattle arrived in San Luis Obispo County, according to the statement of our informant, and were there left to graze and recruit. The result is that the Texan cattle fever has broken out, and we hear of one dairy ranch where fifty cows have suddenly died within a few days.

The Small Grain Crop in the Northwest.

From the Milwaukee Wisconsin, Sept. 16.

The small grain crop of this year in the Northwest is now about all secured, and sufficient of it has been threshed to form some idea of the yield and quality. From reports in our exchanges and from other sources, we judge that the average yield to the acre will be about fifteen bushels, or not far from that of ordinary years. Some sections report a yield of twenty to twenty-five bushels to the acre, while others not more than eight to ten. The aggregate crop will prove, we think, the largest ever harvested, with, perhaps, one or two exceptions. The quality of the grain is good, in some pieces unusually so, the berry being plump and heavy. This is more particularly true of oats. The weather was generally favorable for harvest work, and the grain was mostly secured without damage from rains. The corn crop, which promised so little in the early part of the season, has improved rapidly for the month past, and in most localities will come near to an average yield.

FINANCIAL.

SEVEN PER CENT.
FIRST MORTGAGE
CONVERTIBLE, SINKING FUND
GOLD BONDS
OF THE
Danville, Urbana, Bloomington and Pekin Railroad Company
OF ILLINOIS,
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FREE OF GOVERNMENT TAX.
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Capital Stock 3,000,000

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The road is 127 5-100 miles in length, the only East and West line connecting the Cities of Danville, Urbana, Bloomington and Pekin on the line of the old Emigrant Road. This section has been justly named the Garden of the West, and is noted for its large agricultural and manufacturing products, also for its valuable mines of coal. The local business will make the line a first-class paying road. In addition the Company provide for a large through business, having as many valuable connections East and West as any road now in operation. The line has lately been consolidated with the Indianapolis and Danville Road, making over 200 miles under one management.

At Indianapolis is connects with the Pennsylvania Central, Baltimore and Ohio, also with several other lines at Danville, with the Toledo, Wabash and Western, and at Pekin with Peoria, making a new through direct route in Illinois, connecting Philadelphia, New-York, Boston and Baltimore with Peoria, Keokuk, Burlington, Omaha and the Far West.

The road is being rapidly consolidated, all graded and bridged, the track laying at the rate of one mile per day, all the iron and a large amount of rolling stock provided. The whole road will be completed before the 1st of January next.

The bonds average less than $18,000 per mile, are convertible into stock at par, at the option of the holder, at any time, and may be registered in the name of the owner if desired.

The stocks of several of the principal lines of Illinois are selling at from above par to nearly 200. There is a reasonable prospect of the stock of this road, at no distant day, selling as high as either of them, which makes the convertible clause a valuable option.

We have personally examined the road, and consider the bonds a choice security; we therefore take pleasure in recommending them to investors as safe, profitable and reliable. A large portion of the loan has already been sold.

We are authorized to offer them for the present at 95 and accrued interest in currency, the Company reserving the right to advance the price, without notice. At this price they pay 10 per cent. in currency—nearly 50 per cent. more than the same amount invested in Governments. Gold and all marketable securities received in exchange at highest market rates. Bonds forwarded by express free of charge.

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Principal and Interest payable in New-York.

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This road is 105 miles in length, connecting the cities of Savannah and Charleston, and is an important link of through travel from the North to Georgia, Florida and the Gulf States. Eighty miles of the line are already in operation, and the whole road will be in complete running order by the first of December.

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JOHN CHILD, Secretary.

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NOTICE.—THE REGULAR MEETING OF the stockholders of the Hartford and New-Haven Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company, in Hartford, on WEDNESDAY, the 22d of September, instant, at 12 o'clock P. M., for the choice of Directors for the ensuing year; also, to consider and act upon the subject of the acceptance of the act of the Legislature of Connecticut, passed at its recent session, authorizing the Company to increase its capital stock, and for the transaction of such other business as may then be brought before the meeting.
The transfer books will be closed from the 15th to the 22d of September, both days inclusive.
S. P. CONNER, Secretary.

GENERAL OFFICES ERIE RAILWAY COMPANY, NEW-YORK, Sept. 9, 1869.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the Erie Railway Company, for the election of Directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the office of this Company, corner of 8th-av. and 23d-st., on the 12th day of October next. The polls will be open at 11 o'clock A. M., and continue open till 2 o'clock P. M. on that day.
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Advertisers in the TIMES are requested to bring in their notices at as early an hour in the day as possible. If received after 3½ o'clock, it will be impossible to classify them under their proper heads.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

EUROPE.

The recovery of the Emperor is said by a Paris correspondent of the London *Times* to have created a calm in the stormy debate which had begun between the party of the Empress and those friendly to Prince NAPOLEON. It is a foretaste of what is to come, it says, when the Emperor does die.

A meeting was held yesterday in Trafalgar-square, London, composed of those in favor of releasing the imprisoned Fenians. Six thousand persons participated in the demonstration. A member of Parliament presided. Speeches were made, and a resolution passed urging the immediate pardon of the Fenians. The meeting was orderly in all respects. The Dublin *Irishman* says: "England must set these men free, or her promise of a better government of Ireland is a lie."

It is rumored in Paris that Prussia designs annexing the Grand Duchy of Baden.

The London *Times* regards the absence of the upper classes at the Humboldt Festival in Berlin as "shabby," and says the congratulations of Princes and Princesses do not counterbalance it.

CUBA.

The foreign Press continues to discuss the Cuban question. The London *Post* of yesterday morning says that it now appears America only made friendly representations to Spain in favor of the Cubans' reasonable demands, and that France advises a policy of reconciliation at Madrid, and non-intervention at Washington. The *Standard* says PRIM'S attempt to induce England and France to join in a protectorate for Cuba has totally failed. The *Independance Belge* deems it improbable that PRIM has asked either France or Spain to prevent the recognition of the Cubans by the United States; if so, it thinks he would certainly receive a negative answer. It concludes by saying that the Washington Government will follow the wishes of the people in the matter. Should the policy be recognition, no suggestion from Europe could have any effect. The *Journal des Debats* believes that France and England are disposed to support Spain with their counsels, but does not regard affairs as threatening as they were. It thinks that the misunderstanding with the United States will be satisfactorily arranged.

GENERAL.

Spanish advices from Lisbon report the arrival of the mail steamer from Rio Janeiro with the intelligence of the capture of ASCURRA and PIRIBEBIN by the Allies, and the flight of LOPEZ. There was great rejoicing in Brazil and the Argentine States, and the war in Paraguay was considered ended.

A collision occurred yesterday morning at Athens, Penn., on the Pennsylvania and New-York Railroad, which resulted in the killing of three persons and severe injury to several others. The express ran into a way train which was taking water. Of the killed was NELSON W. ACKLEY, of Dushole, Penn., Republican candidate for the Legislature from that district.

A large German procession took place Sunday in San Francisco, Cal., in honor of HUMBOLDT'S centennial.

A fire in Medina, N. Y., near Rochester, on Sunday morning, destroyed two large business blocks, causing a loss to various persons of over $80,000, upon which there was an insurance of about $20,000.

Twenty-one fishermen belonging to Rockport, Mass., are supposed to have been lost in the recent gale. Seven bodies have been recovered.

A Nashville (Tenn.) dispatch says the foundry of ANDREW ANDERSON, in that city, was set on fire Sunday night. Only a part of the building was destroyed, but patterns were burned which cannot be replaced for $20,000. The property is uninsured. An attempt was made on Saturday to burn YERGER'S foundry.

The Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows of the United States commenced its session in San Francisco, Cal., yesterday. Thirty Grand Lodges and sixteen Grand Encampments are represented.

Prince ARTHUR on Saturday made a tour around Quebec harbor. On Sunday he attended church at the English Cathedral, and yesterday morning he left Quebec and arrived at Montreal at 5 P. M. Dining privately, at 7:30 he started for London, Ontario, stopping at Richmond for an hour, where an address was delivered.

A man named JAMES BRENNET was arrested at Hudson, N. Y., yesterday, by detectives of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. He had maltreated a horse. The case causes some excitement, as it is the first arrest of its kind in that locality.

At Corning, N. Y., yesterday, in a motion for the appointment of a new receiver of the Susquehanna Railroad, by general consent Benney L. BANKS and JAMES MCQUADE were appointed joint receivers. Further proceedings were adjourned to Oct. 1, at Corning.

RUTH HEMPHILL, over 100 years old, of Henneker, N. H., died on Sunday. She was the first child born in the town.

Governor HOFFMAN is advertised to deliver an address, on Thursday, at the County Fair to be held this week at Catskill.

The trial of MURPHY and SIRA, who murdered MURRAY at Bradley's Hotel, Portland, Me., a few weeks ago, by pushing him down stairs, was commenced yesterday in that city.

A suit has been began in New-Orleans against General JAMES B. STEEDMAN, Ex-Internal Revenue Collector of that district, for $600,000 found to be due the Government on the settlement of his accounts.

PERRY FULLER, lately arrested, charged with revenue frauds, has arrived at New-Orleans and been released on bail to $20,000, to appear in November.

Two children named FLOWERS, near Connorsville, Delaware County, in this State, on Wednesday last in passing through a field were both kicked to death by a vicious horse. They were aged three and five years, respectively.

A family of eight, five of them children, were found on the road near Baltimore, Md., on Saturday in a starving condition. They had traveled from Kansas on foot, living by charity, and were on their way to Philadelphia.

HORATIO SEYMOUR is a delegate from Oneida County to the Democratic State Convention which meets in Syracuse to-morrow.

LOCAL.

At the meetings of the Republican Associations of the Ninth, Twelfth and Sixteenth Assembly Districts, last evening, resolutions disapproving the action of BENJ. F. DELANO, Naval Constructor at the Brooklyn Navy-yard, in suspending CHAS. ATKINS, foreman painter at the yard, were adopted.

The German Democrats of the Eighteenth Ward last evening adopted strong resolutions setting forth the want of consideration with which they have been treated by Tammany Hall, and appointed a committee to demand that their candidates be nominated for local offices.

The Tammany delegates for the State Convention at Syracuse were appointed yesterday. Their names will be found in another column.

JOHN R. NICHOLS, a broken merchant, committed suicide yesterday at No. 2 Livingston-place, by shooting himself through the breast. Pecuniary trouble was the motive for the act.

Rutgers Female College, which has been removed to the corner of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth-street and Second-avenue, was inaugurated last evening at the Congregational Church in Harlem. Addresses were delivered by Dr. GILLETT, of Harlem; Dr. STEAD, of Astoria, and Hon. WILLIAM A. DARLING.

An examination was commenced before Commissioner WHITE, yesterday, in the case of FRANK and STEPHEN KINNEY, charged with conspiracy to defraud the Government, in having obtained the release of a distillery from the Marshal's officers on a partially bogus bail bond.

The Democratic Union General Committee held a special meeting last night, and protested against the nomination of any person for a State officer "who is in manner identified with the Tammany Ring."

A man named C. M. CASE was held to bail before United States Commissioner WHITE, yesterday, on a charge of perjury, in having executed a false bond for the release of a counterfeiter named WOODS.

A man named EUGENE ROLAND, *alias* Count Domingue O'Donne, a professional hotel thief, was sentenced to seven years and six months' imprisonment at the Court of General Sessions yesterday. He was recently released from State Prison, having been sentenced there in 1864.

One of the laborers employed in excavating on the site of the new Post Office was overcome by the heat of the weather yesterday, and was removed to Bellevue Hospital.

A Painful Revelation.

It is with great reluctance that we give currency to a very unpleasant report which has reached us in regard to an institution which of all others in the land ought to be beyond reproach, or even suspicion. The authority, however, for what we are about to announce is of such a character that silence on our part would, under the circumstances, amount to delinquency. We are credibly assured that the new Agent of the Methodist Book Concern, Rev. Dr. LANAHAN, has discovered in that establishment great corruption and fraud, involving losses to the amount of several hundred thousand dollars.

The subject, we understand, is now undergoing investigation, and as soon as the details can be given to the public without prejudice to any but culpable parties, we shall endeavor to furnish them.

These frauds, it is said, have been going on for some eight or nine years, and of course their full extent is not yet ascertained with precision. The magnitude of the business transacted by this Concern, and the reputation which it has enjoyed for probity in its management, conspire to give to any suspicion against it a painful importance. It is only six months since we had the satisfaction of saying of this institution, in the columns of the TIMES, "that it should be recorded, to the honor of all concerned, that not a dollar has ever been lost by the defalcation of its managers from the commencement of the business," in 1789. Unfortunately that cannot be said of the Methodist Book Concern any more.

Reserving further revelations in regard to this unhappy business until the parties inculpated have an opportunity of being heard, and to give our readers some idea of the difficulties which beset and necessarily prolong this investigation, we append a brief statement of the enormous business of this—reputed to be the largest—publishing house in the world, which appeared in the TIMES on the 12th of April last:

The institution is now more than eighty years old, having been created in the year 1789. It was started under the agency of Rev. JOHN DICKENS, in the City of Philadelphia, with a capital of only $600, and that was borrowed for the purpose. In 1799 Mr. DICKENS died and Rev. EZEKIEL COOPER was appointed agent in his place. In 1804 it was removed to the City of New-York, and Rev. JOHN WILSON was appointed assistant editor and book steward. Four years later Mr. COOPER resigned, leaving the Concern worth about $45,000, the net earning of nineteen years. Mr. WILSON succeeded, with Rev. DANIEL HITT as assistant. In that year the agents were first released from the responsibilities of the pastorate, and left to give their entire attention to the business, preaching only as they might feel disposed. Mr. WILSON is said to have been an estimable man, a faithful minister and a skillful agent. He conducted the business faithfully until 1820, when he died. In the Conference in the hands of Mr. HEAD. The General Conference of 1820 appointed him principal, and THOMAS WARE, assistant, but the business failed to succeed as it had done, not for the want of fidelity in the agents, so much as skill and harmony. In 1824 both were left out, and JOSHUA SOULE and THOMAS MASON succeeded them, and by wise management and indomitable energy saved the Concern from sinking under its embarrassments. Four years after Mr. SOULE was elected Bishop, and Rev. NATHAN BANGS was appointed to succeed him, with Rev. THOMAS MASON as assistant. The Concern was still heavily in debt. Its books were scattered through the country in the hands of presiding elders and preachers, under a commission arrangement adopted by the General Conference some years before, and the returns were slow and uncertain. The agents saw that something must be done to vitalize the whole system, and immediately brought out several works for which there was a loud call, embracing BENSON'S *Commentary* and a new revision of the Hymn Book. Both being received in 1830, they, two years after, rented the basement of the Wesleyan Seminary in Crosby-street, in this City, and commenced doing their own binding. This proved so great a convenience that Mr. BANGS and his assistant, Rev. JOHN EMORY, who succeeded Mr. MASON in 1824, purchased the Seminary building, and commenced doing their own printing in September of that year. It was during this administration that Dr. CLARKE'S *Commentary* was issued, and the unfortunate system of sending out books on commission was abolished. This was a great relief to the Concern, and gave new life to the business. On the 4th of September, 1826, the first number of the *Christian Advocate* made its appearance, and at once became a power for good to the Church. The General Conference of 1828 appointed Mr. BANGS its editor, and editor of Sunday-school books, which had become a necessity; Rev. JOHN EMORY principal editor and book agent, with BEVERLY WAUGH his assistant. It was during this term that WESLEY'S and FLETCHER'S works were published and the magazine installed as the *Methodist Magazine & Quarterly Review*. The business so increased that more room was needed, and five lots were purchased on Mulberry-street and buildings commenced where the Concern is now located. Mr. EMORY having been elected Bishop in 1832, Mr. WAUGH was appointed principal agent; Rev. T. MASON assistant; Mr. BANGS editor of the magazine and *Quarterly Review*, and of general books; Rev. JOHN P. DURBIN, editor of the *Christian Advocate*, and Sunday-school books and tracts, and Rev. TIMOTHY MERRITT his assistant. In September, 1833, the front building on Mulberry-street was completed, and the whole business removed to its present quarters. Everything went on prosperously until Feb. 18, 1836, when the building and stock were consumed by fire, involving a loss of $350,000. This was a heavy blow, little part of the insurance being collectable, on account of the bankruptcy of most of the companies, occasioned by a recent heavy fire in the lower part of the City. But it excited much sympathy. Meetings were held on this account in various places, and contributions were made to the amount of $89,994 98. This sum, with what was due the Concern, and the amount received from the insurance companies, enabled the agents to commence anew with a capital, all told, of $361,650 74. The business has prospered with little interruption, except in connection with the Southern secession of 1844, from which it has happily recovered. It should be recorded to the honor of all concerned that not a dollar has ever been lost by the defalcations of its managers from the commencement of the business. The Concern has at present four depositories, for which the agents are responsible; one in Boston, Mass.; one in Buffalo, N. Y., one in Pittsburg, Penn., and one in San Francisco, Cal., all doing a good business. It has a valuable store in San Francisco, free from debt, which accommodates its business, and that of the California *Christian Advocate*, with ample grounds for enlargement, and also a fine building, fully paid for in Pittsburg. It publishes a large number of books, embracing bibles, commentaries, hymn and music books, with over 1,500 bound books for Sunday-school libraries, besides catechisms, question books, and numerous other requisites, embracing nearly one thousand tracts. It publishes also six periodicals, namely, the *Christian Advocate*, *Quarterly Review*, *Sunday School Advocate*, *Sunday School Journal*, *Good News*, and the *Northern Christian Advocate*, at Auburn, N. Y. The Western Book Concern was commenced at Cincinnati, Ohio, in 1820, as a branch of the parent establishment, under the immediate agency of Rev. MARTIN RUTER. This was necessitated by the expense and slowness of transportation, and the state of the currency. From a mere depository and a branch, this establishment has grown into a regular publishing house, having its branches or depositories at Chicago, St. Louis and Detroit, and publishing three weekly papers in English and one in German; one monthly, the *Ladies' Repository*, and the *Sunday School Bell*, in German, all having a large circulation. They also publish a considerable list of books in English and other languages. Its business is nearly equal to that of the parent Concern, and will probably exceed it in a few years, as the population of the great West shall increase. It owns real estate at Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis equal to its necessities, estimated at $150,000; does its own stereotyping, printing and binding, and reports a net capital of over half a million of dollars. The agents of the Cincinnati Concern are Messrs. HITCHCOCK & WALDEN. In addition to these publishing houses and depositories, there are several other establishments located at central points and conducted on private account, which keep a general supply of the publications of the Concern, furnishing ample facilities for ther purchase in all parts of the country. Then the General Conference publishes three other weekly papers by Committees, namely: the *Pacific Christian Advocate*, at Portland, Oregon; the *California Christian Advocate*, at San Francisco, Cal., and the *Pittsburg Christian Advocate*, at Pittsburg, Penn. The last-named has been self-sustaining for many years; the others are improving in circulation, and will no doubt become so. All of them are doing a good work for the country and the Church, and could not well be spared. *Zion's Herald*, a respectable and useful paper, published at Boston, Mass., is not owned by the General Conference, yet it is at least semi-official, that body having authorized the Bishops to appoint a traveling preacher to edit it. It was issued two years before the *Christian Advocate*, when there was no official paper; was offered to the General Conference in 1848, when in the flood-tide of its prosperity; and is sustained by six annual conferences. Its profits are regarded by the association publishing it as belonging to the Church, and not as their personal property. The Concern in all its parts is a purely ministerial enterprise, having for its object, as it is claimed by its conductors, not the accumulation of riches, but the dissemination of truth throughout the world. The business operations of the parent institution are controlled at present by Messrs. CARLETON and LANAHAN, whose administration has thus far been all that could have been desired.

The Judiciary and the Democracy.

The Albany *Argus* seems rather disposed to favor the adoption of the Judiciary article of the new Constitution, but for reasons of which all our readers may not at once be able to see the force:

"It gives to the Democracy," says the *Argus*, "the control for years of the Court of Appeals, though two Republicans (to five Democrats) are kept on the bench. Thus the Court, composed of high-minded men, may and will take leave of expediency as declared by temporizing men, and come back to the law in accordance with the Constitution. The permanent welfare of the country demands this."

It is, no doubt, a good thing to have high-minded Democrats on the bench of the Court of Appeals, especially if they have enough Republicans to keep them straight; but how about perpetuating the judicial existence of some of the high-minded Democrats who administer what by a legal fiction is termed "justice" in this City for a term of fourteen years?

There is no security for person or property in this City, simply because there is nothing so corrupt or wicked that Judges of Democratic selection cannot be found to wink at. If the judicial existence of these men, or such as they, were extended fourteen years, we should scarcely have at the end of that time a single incorporated institution left in the City, unless it was required to keep its office here by the terms of its charter, or was bankrupt and not worth plundering. They will all have to follow the example of the Union Pacific Railroad Company, and go to Boston or some other city where Judges are not insensible to every consideration of duty or decency.

The News from Paraguay.

We have so often received news from Rio Janeiro that the backbone of Paraguay was broken, that this morning's tidings to that effect will only awaken fresh incredulity. Asourra, we are told, is captured, as also is Piribebin; LOPEZ has fled, "and the Paraguayans can no longer continue the struggle." It is, accordingly, mere anti-climax for the Lisbon telegram to subjoin that "the Provisional Government has been installed at Asuncion," because Asuncion has been in undisputed Allied possession since last Christmas, when the Brazilian Foreign Secretary arranged a programme of Provisional Government, (the triumvirate,) which, as it appears, is now formally established.

The tone of the dispatch is suspicious. If not wholly manufactured, the tidings are clearly exaggerated. They come through Brazilian channels, and, of course, are not *under*-stated in the Allied interest. That they are believed throughout Brazil and the Argentine Confederation, and that "the cities of Buenos Ayres, Montevideo, and Rio Janeiro were illuminated" in their honor, may be true. But the same cities were illuminated after the fall of Asuncion, and then, as now, it was announced that "LOPEZ had fled, the Paraguayans can no longer continue the struggle, and the war is over."

Now, admitting for a moment that Asourra has fallen, what does it show? The situation of the opposing forces, before the late news, was as follows: LOPEZ occupied Asourra with an army reckoned at 4,000 strong, and the Prince D'EU confronted him with an army of 12,000. We were then informed that LOPEZ was unquestionably preparing for a retreat. Our Buenos Ayres correspondent wrote, "he has sent back his supplies and the non-combatants, and even his ammunition, to a great extent." It is plain, therefore, that the great news this morning of the capture of Asourra, from which "LOPEZ has fled," may turn out to be nothing more than the retreat which, as we have seen, was already planned. In that case, the telegraphic generalization from the fall of Asourra that "the Paraguayans can no longer continue the struggle," is ridiculous.

On the contrary, if LOPEZ has, as we presume that he has, retreated to the open country, he has established himself in a region very defensible by reason of its marshes, and much better situated for the collection and transportation of supplies. He will find friendly bands of Indians there from which to recruit his ranks; and, in a word, so far from the war being "at an end," it is likely to last some years longer. The devotion of the Paraguayans to LOPEZ and his cause is to-day as persistent and wonderful as ever. Such is the proper comment on this latest of the Lisbon telegrams and their periodical announcement that "the Paraguayans can no longer continue the struggle."

Mr. Belmont and the Democracy.

We have no inclination to take part in the family jars of the Tammany Democracy. It is no affair of ours, and we shall consider it no heart grievance if the quarrel with Mr. BELMONT is never composed—or if it results in driving that eminent chief into the arms of the real bond-paying party of the country. If he should take himself out of Tammany Hall he will not go alone; that is certain nor will his following be exclusively of the Hebrew people, who are taunted in his person. Mr. BELMONT, whatever else may be said of him, is an able banker and an influential citizen. He kept exceptionable company during the war. It was not altogether his fault that General MCCLELLAN was placed on a peace-at-any-price platform at Chicago in 1864, or that Governor SEYMOUR, linked with FRANK BLAIR, Jr., was nominated on a semi-repudiation platform, and forced to carry the dead weight of WADE HAMPTON and other pro-rebel leaders of the South in the canvass of 1868.

But there is much in the *Citizen's* second indictment of Mr. BELMONT, on Saturday last, which is open to criticism. Mr. BELMONT may be the agent of Messrs. ROTHSCHILD, though he does not subscribe himself as such to his well-known bills of exchange on that "colossal house," but the ROTHSCHILDS are not the largest American bondholders, nor owing to the advice induced, it may have been by party zeal, of Mr. BELMONT during the war, were they even conspicuous jobbers in these bonds until after 1865. The great harvest of profit was gathered by other eminent Hebrew houses in Frankfort and London, and by the German merchants and bankers generally on the Continent, before the ROTHSCHILDS were made fully sensible of Mr. BELMONT'S mistake in underrating the endurance and resources of our people in the sacred cause of American unity.

Mr. BELMONT is held responsible by the *Citizen* for the passage of the act of the Forty-first Congress, the first signed by President GRANT, to strengthen the public faith. Had he stood by the Tammany platform in all its length and breadth, it is reasoned by the *Citizen*, this emphatic veto upon the greenback heresy would not have been interposed to one of the future issues of the Democracy. It is difficult to see the force, or even common sense, of the so-called "sequence" on this point. It was not his fault that SEYMOUR was not elected, but the fault of the platform; it was not his fault, but against his protest, no doubt, that one of its planks recognized the greenback heresy. If it were possible to connect Mr. BELMONT with the passage of the great act of Public Faith of the new Congress, he would deserve a place among the greatest benefactors of the party.

But we are above all surprised to find Mr. BELMONT arraigned by the *Citizen* as "*foreign born*," and we are reminded that the immortal voice, "with the whole force of his pure and watchful foresight," begged his countrymen to "beware of foreign influence!" Mr. BELMONT, "in becoming an American citizen," is said to have retained the foreign interests, prejudices, &c., which he brought with him. "He has in no way, except on paper, perhaps, renounced his attachment, his allegiance, his bias toward European and aristocratic institutions. He is not only not a Democrat—he is not even practically, an American citizen." Now if there be one thing more astonishing than another in this exposition of Democratic doctrine, as applied to the case of Mr. BELMONT, it is that it should come from one of the accepted organs of the party in the City of New-York, where, without its "foreign influence," we would like to ask what would remain of the so-called Democracy?

That influence is not derived from our Hebrew population, nor is the Teutonic race of any religion largely responsible for the ignorance and impudence, the clannishness and fanaticism which rule and "repeat" at the ballot-box; which dictate the division of offices and patronage; which share so rapaciously in the public plunder; which cover with reproach our free American institutions, and render our elective Judiciary a by-word and scorn at home and abroad.

Lady Byron and Mrs. Stowe.

We have no desire to prolong the discussion of the repulsive story which has recently added to the scandalous literature of the age. But the claims of historical truth require that we should place on record the complete refutation of a narrative which was full of intrinsic improbabilities and contradictions, and which cast an infamous stigma on Lord BYRON'S memory without tending to exalt Lady BYRON in the estimation of the world. The day after Mrs. STOWE'S narrative first appeared in this country we pointed out some glaring inaccuracies in it, and avowed our belief that the slander would be explained upon the theory that "Lady BYRON'S jealousy and anger had overturned her reason."

This conjecture is now thoroughly confirmed by the remarkable letter of Lady BYRON herself, just printed for the first time by Lord LINDSAY, in a communication which appeared in the TIMES on Sunday last. It seems to us that the proof thus furnished is absolutely irresistible. Let us briefly recapitulate the evidence.

Lady ANNE BARNARD was for years a very intimate friend of Lady BYRON'S. She had every opportunity of seeing the worst side of BYRON'S character. What does she tell us? That BYRON sought to corrupt his wife's character, and Lady BYRON, seeing "the precipice on which she stood, kept his (BYRON'S) sister with her as much as possible." Now this was *after* the date at which, according to Mrs. STOWE, Lady BYRON had discovered the guilty intimacy. So that we must believe she invited Lord BYRON'S sister to her house long after Lord BYRON had confessed a criminal intimacy with her. Is this credible?

Long after the separation, Lady BYRON wrote a letter to Lady ANNE BARNARD in which she recounted the ill-usage she had experienced from her husband. In this important document no reference whatever is made to the story which Lady BYRON subsequently confided to Mrs. STOWE. The letter is bitter enough in its tone toward the poet, but the charge which Lady BYRON accepted when the victim of a dreadful hallucination, is not even darkly hinted at. We believe that at this period Lady BYRON had never heard of it, and the tone of her letter conclusively settles the point. She wrote the letter more than two years after the separation, and therefore when the whole truth was in her possession. Mrs. STOWE declares, indeed that she knew of the crime while BYRON still lived with her, and hence the rhapsodies about her "angelic character" which adorn the narrative. Let any reasonable person compare the following passages of Lady BYRON'S letter with Mrs. STOWE'S account of her feelings toward Lord BYRON:

"Though he would not suffer me to remain his wife, he cannot prevent me from continuing his friend."

"It is not necessary to speak ill of his heart in general; it is sufficient that to me it was hard and impenetrable. . . . I would rather represent this as my misfortune than as his guilt; but, surely, that misfortune is not to be made my crime."

"I might appeal to all who have ever heard me speak of him, and still more to my own heart, to witness that there has been no moment when I have remembered injury otherwise than affectionately and sorrowfully. It is not my duty to give way to hopeless and wholly unrequited affection; but, so long as I live, my chief struggle will probably be not to remember him too kindly."

Could any woman write in this strain of a man who was guilty of a crime which a little while before caused her to shrink from him in horror?

Lord LINDSAY, who speaks with authority, adds:

"In the face of the evidence now given, positive, negative and circumstantial, there can be but two alternatives in the case—either Mrs. B. STOWE must have entirely misunderstood Lady BYRON, and been thus led into error and misstatement, or we must conclude that under the pressure of a lifelong and secret sorrow, Lady BYRON'S mind had become clouded with an hallucination in respect of the particular point in question."

This is, almost in our own words, the interpretation we gave to Mrs. STOWE'S story a month ago. We reasoned from circumstantial evidence, but now we have Lady's BYRON'S own solemn testimony, given at a time when every incident was fresh in her memory, against the horrible story so rashly published by Mrs. STOWE.

The Ship Canal between Quebec and Montreal.

A report has recently been published by Mr. PAGE, an English engineer, relating to the practicability of opening the channel between Quebec and Montreal for steamers of a large size. In this report Mr. PAGE also calls attention to a letter on the subject from a competent authority, Mr. HUGH ALLAN, which contains some information likely to prove of interest to the general reader.

In the first place, the necessity of competing with New-York for the carrying business has called for the employment of much larger vessels than used to be required. But at present the river and lake are not deep enough to admit of that expansion of the trade which the Province otherwise might hope for. A depth of twenty-five feet is the very least that would suffice for present necessities. The steamers recently built are about 250 feet in length, and the breadth of the channel is only 300 feet. If a steamer were to turn across it the traffic would be totally interrupted. The channel, therefore, should be widened to a breadth of 500 feet, and deepened considerably.

Again, after leaving Quebec, about sixty miles up the river, huge boulders are encountered. At low water "there is as little as fifteen feet on some of them." It is only at high water, and at daylight, that a loaded steamer can pass. Sometimes the channel at this point is only practicable one hour out of twenty-four. Mr. ALLAN recommends that a stone-lifter should be employed to clear these boulders out of the way.

There are similar obstacles to free navigation in other parts of the river, and at Lake St. Peter the channel needs deepening to twenty-five feet, and widening to five hundred. About ten miles below Montreal there is a stony shoal, on which almost every vessel strikes during Summer. The harbor at Montreal needs improvement, and Mr. ALLAN recommends the amalgamation of the Trinity Board with the Harbor Commissioners, as proposed in a petition of merchants last year.

These reports, and the attention they have excited in the Dominion, may be taken as further evidence of the anxiety of the Canadians to improve their commercial position and prospects. But it must necessarily be a work of time to carry out all the improvements in the Ship Canal which are recommended by Mr. PAGE and Mr. ALLAN.

The curious and interesting Chinese document which we published on Sunday, giving TSANG-KWOHFAN'S reasons why his countrymen oppose the introduction of railroads and river steamers into China, was, as we unintentionally omitted to say, communicated to the State Department from Mr. S. WELLS WILLIAMS, our Chargé d'Affaires in China, and in due season will appear in the published diplomatic correspondence of that Department.

SECRET POLITICAL HISTORY.

An Incident in Mr. Thurlow Weed's Career—How the Complexion of the State Senate was Changed—A Well-Kept Secret Revealed.

[We have received permission to publish the following curious and interesting narrative from MR. THURLOW WEED'S Autobiography relating to an election which exercised no small influence on the public events of the day:]

Unusual interest was given to the political campaign of 1839 by the great solicitude of the banking interests of the City of New-York to elect a Senate which, while sitting as a Court for the correction of errors, would maintain the constitutionality of the General Banking law. It was known that the political complexion of the Senate would be determined by the result in the Third (Albany) District, where three Senators were to be chosen. The district had theretofore been Democratic, but we had for two or three years been diminishing the majority against us, and on this occasion had determined to make a very spirited canvass. A week before the election I became satisfied that the chances of success were against us, and so reported to my political friends in New-York. This stimulated them to renewed efforts. On the Saturday morning previous to the election some Whig merchants and bankers met hastily, and appointed a committee to visit Albany. On Sunday morning early, while dressing, I was summoned to the Eagle Hotel, where I found in the parlor Messrs. ROBERT B. MINTURN, MOSES H. GRINNELL, SIMEON DRAPER, R. M. BLATCHFORD and JAMES BOWEN. They had arrived about daylight in the steamboat *Columbia*, specially chartered by them. They took a large bandana handkerchief from a trunk, which they opened and spread upon a centre table. It contained packages of bank notes of various denominations, amounting to $8,000. My friends remarked that no possible effort must be spared to carry the district, and desired me to take as much of this fund as could be advantageously disbursed, adding that if more were needed, they would draw checks for it.

The election was to commence on Monday morning and to terminate on Wednesday evening. I informed them that it would be quite impossible in so short a time to use any such amount of money, and after explaining what I thought might be accomplished in the brief interval before the election, took $3,000—$1,500 of which was immediately dispatched by messengers to Columbia, Greene, Delaware and Rensselaer Counties; $1,500 was reserved for Albany.

A question of much embarrassment occurred to us—namely, how the unusual circumstance of the arrival of a strange steamer could be explained without exciting suspicions as to the real object of its visit. Governor SEWARD was sent for and joined in the consultation. It was decided that all the New-York gentlemen named, with one exception, should remain *incog.* at the hotel. Mr. MINTURN, whose father-in-law, Judge WENDELL, resided in Albany, went to his relative's house, and from thence to church. Still, we were very apprehensive that the *Argus* might get some inkling or clue to the business in hand, and this, we knew, would have been fatal to our plans. So it was arranged that GEORGE W. DAILY, then known as an efficient fighting Whig at the polls, should see "ABE VANDERZEE," a journeyman in the *Argus* office, and a Democratic pugilist. Except when excited at the polls these two men were friends, though one was a zealous Whig, and the other an equally enthusiastic Democrat. DAILY took VANDERZEE a stroll along the docks, and said to him with apparent surprise, "Here is a strange steamer! what can she have come to Albany for?" They made inquiry, and found that she had arrived there at daylight without passengers, and without apparent object. DAILY said, "Well, never mind,—I'll find out in the course of the day what this means. There's a nigger in the fence somewhere." After dropping into a grocery or two, and "smiling" once or twice, they separated. Early in the evening DAILY went to the *Argus* office, *accidentally* fell in with ABE, and told him he had found out the whole story of the steamer, adding that on Saturday evening after the mails had left New-York, (this being before telegraphs,) a steamer had arrived from England, bringing information that the crops had been destroyed, and some flour speculators had chartered the boat to come to Albany, and had, immediately upon their arrival, started off in different directions to buy up flour, so as to secure a monopoly.

Meantime, the steamer dropped down to Van Wie's Point. At sundown the New-York gentlemen were driven to that place in close carriages, taken on board, and returned to New-York in safety.

That day and most of the night were spent in active preparations for the next three days' battle. SPRINGSTEED, BEARDSLEY and VAN SCHAICK were hastily dispatched to the country towns with additional "material aid." G. W. DAILY, H. Y. WEBB, SAM. STRONG, BOB. CHEESBRO, JOHN ROSS, &c., were to organize a physical force sufficient to clear a passage to the polls. CHAUNCEY DEXTER, STILLMAN WITT, (then an employe of the People's line of steamboats, now an Ohio millionaire,) RANS. VALKENBURG, JAS. WELDON, TOM. HILLSON, (now in the Custom-house) PROVOST VERNY, the brothers YOUNG, &c., were to look after the canal boatmen. The brothers BENEDICTS, I. N. COMSTOCK, (now in the Appraiser's Office) Drs. KING and GRANT, the FREDENRICHS, &c., were to look after the "drift" voters in the Taxes portion of the Ninth and Tenth Wards. GEORGE CUTLER and others of his tact and vigilance, were to act as challengers. Captain L. W. BRAINARD (now in the Custom-house,) RUFUS RHOADES and TOMMY COWELL were to bring all the Whig steamboat and sloop hands from New-York and sloops-men between New-York and Albany. DAVID HALLIGAN, MIKE CLARK, PAT MURPHY and RICHARD O'SULLIVAN (then a Catholic school teacher, afterward a Union officer through the rebellion,) were to look after the "few and far between" Irish voters. TOM KEMP, PATRICK and HUGH J. HASTINGS were to "string round" the various polls and ascertain where screws were loose or machinery required oiling.

The four "blind" served to bridge over the danger for one day, Monday morning's *Argus* appearing, to our great relief, without any reference to the arrival of the steamer. The mail of that day brought news from England by the *Great Western*, announcing among other things the arrival, late on Saturday night, of over $2,000,000 "for British service in Canada." In this circumstance the *Argus* was convinced that it had discovered the whole secret of the sudden appearance of the *Columbia*, and on Tuesday morning it contained the following editorial:

"A MYSTERY—AND ITS EXPLANATION.

Our city was not a little excited on Sunday by the mysterious arrival, about noon, of the steamboat *Columbia*, from New-York, which place she left at 10 the previous night, with only four or five persons on board, one of whom started express to the north, and the others returned in the *Columbia* at 2 P. M. All the afternoon groups were inquiring "what's in the wind?" Numerous were the conjectures and rumors and surmises which the *quid nunes* started to solve the mystery.

The explanation, doubtless, is, that as the *Great Western* brought over $2,000,000 for Canada, preparatory to the resumption of specie payments by the Provincial banks, an agent was dispatched express to advise of its arrival; and as there is no day boat on Sunday, and as the loss of a day would have ensued by waiting until the afternoon of that day, the *Columbia* was dispatched specially for the purpose.

The election occupied three days of extraordinary interest and excitement, each party doing its utmost. A great deal of bitter feeling was necessarily provoked on the other side by our boldness and confidence. The result was a signal triumph, our three Senators—ERASTUS ROOT, FRI

STATE POLITICS.

THE APPROACHING STATE ELECTION.

Careful Survey of the Senatorial Field.

Republican Prospects—Discussions of the Politicians of the Country—Their Opinion of the City Machines.

From Our Special Correspondent.

ELMIRA, Saturday, Sept. 18, 1869.

The State Fair, which began on Tuesday last and closed yesterday, attracted hither many people, variously estimated from 20,000 to 35,000. Though the display of animals and articles was very good, it was not so great as at some former Fairs held on the line of the New-York Central Railroad. This meeting is regarded by those more familiar than I am with the history of the Society quite as successful as any ever held in the southern tier of counties. The weather was fine, the attendance good, and the receipts large. But your special correspondent having that matter in hand has, of course, furnished you with full particulars. Let it be my task to tell you what I saw and heard among the politicians, who were here in great numbers, especially from the central and western portions of the State—the Republican strongholds.

The Republicans discuss with anxiety the condition of the party in the State and the character of the Legislature. They have no patience with your City "machines"—charge them with the defeat of the ticket last Fall, and seem to be resolved to extirpate them root and branch. The cry of "regular" and "irregular," "Radical" and "Conservative" will soon none of them. The opinion was very generally expressed that, with thorough and complete reorganization in the City of New-York, conciliatory and harmonious proceedings in the State Convention, a ticket composed of able and patriotic men, an energetic and thorough canvass, the State may be carried by the Republicans this year. There is no doubt that a large majority of the honest voters of the State belong to the Republicans, so voted at the last election, and will so vote again this year. That majority was wickedly overcome by frauds in the City of New-York, with scarcely an effort by the local Republicans to prevent it.

It is believed that reorganization, followed by intelligent and *well-directed work*, will not only vastly increase the Republican vote then, but suppress the great frauds by which the Democrats were enabled to usurp the Executive Department of the State Government.

So far as the State ticket is concerned I have not heard but a single name mentioned, that of a Mr. CHATFIELD, of Oswego, who wants to be nominated for State Treasurer. There seems to be a very general disposition to pay but little attention to the "claims" of individuals or localities, but to select the strongest and best men and put them on the ticket. If the Convention should come together in this spirit there can be no doubt that it will make nominations deserving to be elected.

With reference to nominations for the Legislature, especially for the Senate, the case is quite different; for there a spirited contest is going on in most of the Republican districts. I send you such information on that subject as I have been able to gather. I shall confine myself to those that are Republican and begin with the

Tenth District, (Orange and Sullivan Counties,) which has always been close, but which the Republicans have carried oftener than their opponents. It is now represented by a Democrat. Here there is no contest for the Republican nomination, and the result will probably be that the Convention will be left to select a strong man.

The Eleventh District is composed of the Counties of Dutchess and Columbia, and is represented in the Senate by ABIAH W. PALMER, an upright and capable legislator, who will undoubtedly be renominated by the Republicans. His district is close, but he is very popular, and will probably be reelected.

The Twelfth District—Rensselaer and Washington—is represented by FRANCIS S. THAYER, Republican. I do not hear of any opposition to his return.

The Thirteenth—Albany—and the Fourteenth—Greene and Ulster—are Democratic.

The Fifteenth District comprises the Counties of Saratoga, Montgomery, Schenectady, Fulton and Hamilton, and is ably and honestly represented by CHARLES STANFORD, an independent Republican, who, it is understood, is not a candidate for reelection. TRUMAN G. YOUNGLOVE, Speaker of the present Assembly, is actively canvassing the several counties of the District for the nomination. He is a bold, reckless and unscrupulous man. The Assembly over which he presided acquired a reputation for venality and corruption such as none of its predecessors—rotten as they were—ever possessed. It was inaugurated at the outset in the most shameless manner by this very Speaker. He prostituted his high office, and used its patronage to influence the votes of members in the election of a United States Senator. For three weeks, one-fifth of the session, he kept back the appointment of the Committees, and made them subservient to the interests of one of the candidates in that memorable contest. It was openly charged, at the time, that positions on committees were hawked about the lobbies of the Capitol and the bar-rooms of the hotels, and offered as the price of votes for one of the candidates for Senator. The thieves in the lobby and the Legislature combined to select and "acquire" positions on committees most valuable for plunder—the price being a vote for the Speaker's favorite! The carnival of corruption was thus begun by the Speaker. Is it strange that it gathered strength and force with time and experience, and that the last Legislature eclipsed all its predecessors in the audacity of its piracy? Fulton County, it is said, will present an acceptable candidate before the Convention. If she does so, it is to be hoped that he may be nominated, and that the hallowed ground of Saratoga will not be disgraced in the Senate, as it is in the present House of Assembly.

The Sixteenth District—Warren, Essex and Clinton—is represented by MATTHEW HALE, Republican, who will probably be returned.

In Saint Lawrence and Franklin Counties—the Seventeenth District—it is probable that ADRIAN X. PORTER will be renominated without much opposition.

The Eighteenth District—Jefferson and Lewis. JOHN O'DONNELL, Republican, from Lewis, is the Senator. Here there is a spirited contest. Mr. O'D. being opposed by Mr. WINSLOW, of Watertown, Jefferson County, and as the last-named county is entitled to a greater number of delegates in the nominating Convention than Lewis, it is probable that Mr. O'DONNELL will not be renominated. His competitor is well spoken of.

The Nineteenth District—Cayuga County—is represented by SAMUEL CAMPBELL, who is held in the highest esteem by all who know him. I have various reports from this district—on one side that Mr. CAMPBELL will not permit the use of his name before the Senatorial Convention, and on the other that he will. I do not hear of any candidates, but the name of CHARLES H. DOOLITTLE is talked of, whether with or without his consent, I do not know. I also hear the name of GEORGE WILLIAMS mentioned, not as a seeker for the office, but rather as a proper person for the place in case Mr. CAMPBELL should peremptorily decline to go back to the Senate.

The Twentieth District consists of the Counties of Herkimer and Otsego. Mr. VAN PETTEN, the present Republican Senator, wisely retires. An enthusiastic friend of Judge CAMPBELL, present member of Assembly from Otsego, insists that the Convention will unanimously nominate him. I hear no other names.

The Twenty-first District—Oswego and Madison—has ABNER C. MATTOON, Republican, of Oswego, for its representative, and it is understood he is seeking a renomination! His character as a Senator has long since ceased to be a subject for discussion, and I cannot do it with a good deal of the feeling that the profane man was supposed to have had when some mischievous boys knocked the tailboard out of his cart as it was ascending a hill loaded with cider apples, which "split themselves out" and rolled away down the road. The boys stood by, expecting to hear some "all swearing." But the cartman perceived, and, to their disappointment, instead of the expected outburst of profanity, he threw up his hands and exclaimed, "It's of no use boys, I am unequal to the occasion!" There are two other candidates in Oswego County—CHENEY AMES and Dr. LEE—both Ex-Senators. I learn that Madison County will present a candidate; but it is said that her ambitious men have their eyes upon Congressional seats, and will not really press their candidate. How this may be, I cannot tell; but, at all events, it is to be hoped that they will not consent to a repetition of MATTOON.

The Twenty-second District—Onondaga and Cortlandt—is represented by GEORGE N. KENNEDY, of Syracuse, a Republican, who seems to be destined to go back without much opposition.

The Twenty-third District—Chenango, Delaware and Schoharie Counties—is represented in the present Senate by JOHN F. HUBBARD, Democrat, who will be compelled to give way to a Republican—probably Mr. KRUM, of Schoharie. I hear of no other candidates. At all events, we shall gain a Senator here.

The Twenty-fourth District comprises the Counties of Broome, Tioga and Tompkins, and is represented by ORLOW W. CHAPMAN, who appears to have little, if any opposition to his return. He is a Republican, and is regarded as an intelligent and honest legislator.

The Twenty-fifth District—Cayuga and Wayne Counties—is the one to which the people are indebted for STEPHEN K. WILLIAMS, who has "rendered the State some service," and who, if half the reports are true, *once* is still more. He wants to go back to the Senate Chamber, however, and it is said has manipulated the Republican caucuses in Wayne County so as to secure a united delegation therefrom, who will present his name to the Senatorial Convention for renomination. He boasts that he has "seen" the editor of the *Tribune*, and that that journal will not call together either its "secret" meeting of "leading men" or its "citizens' association" of "honest" ones to oppose his reelection. This is fortunate for STEPHEN, but his misfortune is in Cayuga, which is entitled to more votes in the nominating Convention than Wayne, and which, it is said, will insist on applying the principle of "rotation" in this case. There are five or six candidates in Cayuga who are ambitious for the honor of occupying STEPHEN'S Senatorial chair. They are: Mr. WOODSON and Mr. SNOW, of Auburn; Mr. HAYDEN, of Manta; Mr. BENTON, an Ex-Assemblyman of Ira; Mr. WEED, the present Assemblyman of Brutus, and Mr. JOHN L. PARKER. The delegates are selected by Assembly District Conventions, and there is danger that Cayuga County may not concentrate her vote on any one candidate. This is WILLIAMS' hope, and of couse he will "leave no stone unturned" to foster rivalry and jealousy among his competitors. But there is hope in the fact that the people of Cayuga feel the disgrace that already attaches to the district, and are resolved to bear it no longer.

Ontario, Seneca and Yates constitute the Twenty-sixth District, which has been represented for three or four terms by CHARLES J. FOLGER, of Geneva, whose character for integrity, fidelity, industry and ability is proverbial. He is one of the ablest and purest men in the Senate, and I regret to hear that he is encountering considerable opposition in one or both of the other counties of his district. His competitors are Judge HEADLY, an ex-member of the Constitutional Convention of Senaca, and Mr. HOYT and Mr. HARPENDIG, of Yates. It is probable, however, that Mr. FOLGER will be renominated.

The Twenty-seventh District embraces the Counties of Chemung, Steuben and Schuyler, and is represented by JOHN I. NICKS, Republican, of this city. There are several candidates for the nomination, but Senator NICKS is not one of them. The county of Chemung will elect delegates uncommitted to any one, who will go to the Convention for the purpose of selecting the best men. Schuyler has two candidates, Mr. SAMUEL BARKER, an Ex-Assemblyman residing at Watkins, and Mr. MINIERE, a banker of Havana. The party in this county is distracted by local questions, and whichever may carry the County Convention will, probably, be followed to the Senatorial Convention with the opposition of the friends of the defeated aspirant. Schuyler will not, therefore, be likely to get the candidate. In Steuben there are four or five gentlemen, each of whom, Barkis-like, "is willin" to occupy Senator NICKS' seat. They are H. H. HALL, editor of the Bath *Courier*, DANIEL BRYAN, an Ex-Assemblyman, Colonel HANOWER, of Corning, and HORACE BEMIS, of Hornellsville. Mr. BEMIS was a member of the Assembly in 1863-4, and is well known to those who were interested in "big things" before the Legislature during that time. *He* will not be nominated.

The County of Monroe is the Twenty-eighth District, and LEWIS MORGAN, of Rochester, is Senator. He is a Republican, and would not object to continue the sacrifice of $1 50 per day—the difference between the pay of a Senator and the price of a Senator's board and lodging, without washing. But the county is not so secure to the Republicans as in former years, and it is feared his nomination would result in the loss of a Republican Senator. He has a formidable competitor in the person of JOHN VAN VOORHIS, of Rochester, and two or three others less formidable in the country towns. BENJAMIN SMITH, of Menden, ABNER J. WOOD, of Parma, both former Assemblymen, and FREDERICK ROOT, of Sweden, are named in this connection. It is suggested that they may receive votes enough to prevent the nomination of either of the leading aspirants, and that an entirely new name may be brought forward. For such a contingency Mr. SMITH, the present Mayor of Rochester, is mentioned. It is said he would be elected easily, and that his name would greatly strengthen the Republican ticket in the city and county.

Orleans, Niagara and Genesee compose the Twenty-ninth District, which is represented by RICHARD CROWLEY, of Niagara, who is a candidate for renomination. He has but one competitor, Mr. GEORGE BOWEN, of Genesee, who is represented to be a lawyer of decided ability, and who bases his claims to the nomination on the ground of "rotation"—the worst possible as against an honest man like CROWLEY, but the best in the world against a jobber. Mr. BOWEN is well spoken of. So is CROWLEY, who "has been tried and not found wanting," and who will, I ventdre to predict, be renominated and reelected.

The Thirtieth District—Allegany, Wyoming and Livingston—has been represented for two terms by W. J. HUMPHREY, of Wyoming, who has been severely criticised, and energetically defended on account of some of his votes, but who has succeeded in retaining the confidence of his neighbors in his own county. He desires to be renominated, and will have the delegates from Wyoming, but it is thought if Livingston presents an acceptable candidate—as she is likely to do in the person of General JAMES WOOD, of Geneseo—that he will stand aside, and the nomination will be conceded to Livingston. The contest in Livingston between General WOOD and Dr. JACKSON is very warm, with the chances in favor of the former. From what I hear I am of the opinion that if Livingston should present the name of JACKSON, Allegany and Wyoming will unite, and either nominate from Allegany or renominate HUMPHREY, while if she should present WOOD, he will be quite sure to be accepted by the Convention.

The Thirty-first District, Erie, is a Republican county, but owing to the fell spirit of faction, has been given over to the Democrats until last Fall. General GRANT carried the county by 1,568 majority, and a member of Congress, the entire county ticket, and four out of five members of Assembly, were elected by the Republicans. Since that time, however, very great dissatisfaction with the conduct of the member of Congress has arisen, and I regret to say the prospect is that it will return to the Democrats again this year. The present Senator is ASHER P. NICHOLS, Democrat, who will probably be retained.

The thirty-second District, Cattaraugus and Chautauqua, is Republican by more than 5,000 majority, and yet owing to local quarrels between Mr. FENTON and those who are opposed to him, it is now represented in the Senate by LEWIS MORRIS, a Democrat. There are three candidates for the Republican nomination, all of whom live in Cattaraugus. They are C. V. P. BORER, of Olean, a member of the present Assembly, who is an honest and able man; ALLEN D. SCOTT, a lawyer of Ellicottsville, who stands high in his profession, and Capt. NASH, of Cattaraugus Station, who served in the war, and is now engaged in the practice of the law. The contest in this district is bitter, the issue being Fenton and anti-Fenton. It is claimed that the Western Assembly District of Chautauqua and both in Cattaraugus are hostile to Mr. FENTON, while the Eastern District of Chautauqua is doubtful with the chances in his favor. His friends support NASH, while his enemies divide between BORER and SCOTT. It is difficult to tell who will be fortunate, and I am not sure as it is very important, since they are all represented to be good men.

The Democratic State Convention meets on Wednesday next, the 22d inst. It is claimed that the present State officers will all be renominated, with Hon. HURON GAY, of this city, and some Eastern man for Judges of Court of Appeals; but we shall see. CHEMUNG.

INCIDENTALS.

Brevet Brigadier-General ROBT. M. WEST, late Captain in the Seventh United States Cavalry, died near Fort Arbuckle, Idaho Territory, on the 2d inst.

Professor CYRUS NORTHROP, the Yale *Courant* says, has formally declined the Presidency of the University of Alabama.

The Louisville *Courier-Journal* urges that Hon. HORACE GREELEY be elected to the chair of Journalism in General LEE's college.

RODERICK TERRY, of the Class of 1870, has been elected Commodore of the Yale Navy, and CHAS. MCREEVE Treasurer. Mr. TERRY pulled the bow oar in the University crew in the last race at Worcester.

The colored citizens of Kansas are to hold a State Convention in Topeka on Wednesday, Oct. 27, to organize for the coming campaign, in which they hope actively to participate, through the ratification of the proposed Fifteenth Amendment.

The Montgomery (Ala.) *Mail* is authority for the statement that Ex-Governor JAMES L. ORR, in conjunction with others, is "quietly Sentorising and Walkerising South Carolina."

The Richmond *Enquirer & Examiner* opposes an early election of United States Senators. It wants more disabilities removed, that the choice may not be so restricted as now.

Several independent papers in California are advocating the election of the Republican nominees for the Supreme Bench, on the ground that they are the best candidates, and political issues ought not to enter into a Judicial election.

The Norfolk *Journal* trusts that "the old men of departed days" will realise that their power is gone, and that Virginia intends now to commit her destinies into the hands of her young sons, who are "able to do battle with the greatest that can be brought against them—aye, and overcome them in the fight."

Iowa expects to gain three Representatives in Congress by the next apportionment.

The Chicago *Journal* expresses the hope that if Miss DOROTHY DIX goes West, as announced, on an errand of mercy, she will stop in Chicago and take a look into Cook County Jail, as the inmates, if not just now insane, probably will be by the time she gets there.

A large number of leading Republicans of West Virginia approve the new liberal policy, and it is indorsed and advocated by the Wheeling *Intelligencer*, Parkersburg *Times*, Charlestown *Journal*, Point Pleasant *Register*, Wellsburg *Herald*, Monroe *Union* and other Republican papers. It is opposed by the Clarksburg *Telegraph* and Morgantown *Post*.

The United States Railroad Conductors' Life Insurance Association, which numbers 2,513 members, will hold its next annual convention in Columbus, Ohio, Oct. 20. The object of the organization is the relief and assistance of the families of conductors who may be killed or disabled, or die from disease.

Hon. HUMPHREY MARSHALL pronounces the penitentiary system of Kentucky a disgrace and public shame,—worse than the slave trade ever was. He says, despondently: "It is monstrous as it now exists; but as it is a mine from which men can extract wealth, it is a heavy job for any man or set of men to undertake to reform."

A Milwaukee man, who deposited $100 in a bank, and was told the interest would be five per cent., came promptly at the end of the year with $5 in small currency to pay that interest. When told that the $5 went the other way he looked up in astonishment, and he went away wondering why a man should pay him for being allowed to take care of his money a whole year.

Mayor FOX, of Philadelphia, has offered an additional reward of $500 for the capture of HUGH MAHER or MARRA, NEIL MCLAUGHLIN and JAMES DOUGHERTY, who are believed to have been implicated in the attempt to assassinate Revenue Detective JAMES J. BROOKS.

Those of our readers who were not present at the Humboldt celebration in Peoria, Ill., last week, lost a great treat. The oration, the Chicago *Journal* informs us, "glittered with genius."

Congressman BECK, of Kentucky, tells the distillers of his State that he regards it as all important that they should have an active and efficient agent in Washington to represent their interests before Congress and the Departments. He adds that the agent must be a man of intelligence, known integrity and good position in order to be of any real service.

The editor of the North Carolina paper from which we quoted sometime since had a rival in Oregon, who on a recent occasion said: "Everybody seemed ready to do honor to our distinguished visitor except the superannuated misanthrope who presides over the columns of the *Press*. He alone opened his moloch jaws and dared to speak disrespectful of our guest. It would seem that even a treason-steeped refugee like him might have possessed sufficient respect for the community among whom he is permitted to eke out a precarious existence, to have observed a respectful silence during the time that our city is honored."

Hon. R. M. T. HUNTER in a letter to a Kentucky gentleman on Chinese immigration, says he does not regard this class of population desirable in Virginia or Kentucky, but thinks it may be of great service in the cotton, rice and sugar States. He is of opinion that the question will settle itself, under the law of self-interest, irrespective of the views of politicians or the legislation of Congress.

Webster's Advice to Pessenden.

A writer in the Portland (Me.) *Argus* concludes a notice of the funeral of the late Senator FESSENDEN as follows:

"Some thirty-five years ago—and perhaps more—DANIEL WEBSTER contemplated a journey to our Western States and Territories, which he had never visited. The great statesman felt inclined to have some talented young man to accompany him, and in looking over New-England for such a companion his attention was attracted to young FESSENDEN, and he extended to him an invitation to travel with him. The young man gladly accepted the invitation, for he was ambitious, and felt that it would be an honor as well as an advantage to accompany in his journeyings such a man as DANIEL WEBSTER, whose fame, both as a lawyer and as a statesman, was fast becoming an honor to the American people, if it had not already reached its height. Young FESSENDEN did accompany him, and never had cause to regret it.

Many a time and often the young man has told us how much he enjoyed the journey, and what advantages he derived from it; for Mr. WEBSTER treated him with great kindness, and gave him much good advice, which he treasured up in his memory. WEBSTER told him how hard he had studied, and how careful he was in making out papers when he commenced the practice of law. He said he never let a writ or other legal document pass from his hands until he had read them over three times at least; and he further remarked that while many young men were idling away their time, he was burning the midnight lamp.

'Now,' said WEBSTER, 'I have acquired some fame both as a lawyer and orator, and have made speeches in which there occurred some flights and illustrations much admired, and which have already passed into history. And now do you suppose these terse sentences were made from the spur of the moment? By no means; they were the result of patient study—and close study, too. Some of my best illustrations and thought have been studied and trimmed down, when the sailing-foot was in my hands. The words which so fully represented England's power so often quoted and admired, were strung together while I stood on the American side of the St. Lawrence River, near Niagara Falls, and heard the British drums beating on the Canada side.'

Many other statements he made to young FESSENDEN which we gladden, but which we have not space to make a record of now, all which proves pretty conclusively that there is no royal road to learning. Mr. FESSENDEN has often told the writer how, in journeying with DANIEL WEBSTER was the best school he ever attended. And the lessons he received from that great man were never forgotten; hence we come to the conclusion that WILLIAM PITT FESSENDEN was a harder student than many have supposed him to be. It is not too much to say, perhaps, that his [illegible] his terse language, his power of condensation, his clear statements and sharpness to the point may be traced to the lessons which WEBSTER gave him while journeying with him to [illegible]. Young men who are ambitious to excel in their professions will do well to make a note of these things, and govern themselves accordingly.

AMUSEMENTS.

Theatre.

MISS BATEMAN AS "LEAH."

A good young actress is as rare as a white elephant or a dodo. Whether it be owing to a prejudice against the stage, to the opening of fresh avenues of employment for women, or to other and more occult causes, the number of young ladies coming forward in the dramatic profession who can be set down as really belonging to the first rank seems year by year to become fewer and fewer. The theatrical literature of the last two or three generations is rich in illustrious names. But where are now our Miss O'Neills and Ellen Trees, of any who can approach them in the department of tragedy? We have to seek a foreign stage, and then we scarcely find anything like their prototypes, for FANNY KEMBLE and Miss GLYN are no more, and RACHEL and RISTORI belong, like them, to an older and weightier school. The Juliets and Julias and Belvideras, who once knew the stage and gave it youth and passion and sentiment have vanished to return no more, and scarcely any young women of genius arise to fill their vacant niches. There are, to be sure, certain stately dames, high priestesses of Melpomene, who represent, and grandly, the passions of rage and hatred, of maternal devotion, of despair and ambition, but the earlier and fresher emotions of love and jealousy, and all the trooping graces of young womanhood, have few or none to depict them, and we look around in vain for artists who shall recall in these respects the emotions of the past. We have young ladies who can play comedy, but not tragedy. Even the field of domestic drama, or that of the new romantic school we have imported from the French is not so bare of worthy occupants or promising tyros; but of young tragic actresses we have none or next to none. The sole and brilliant exception is the lady who played *Leah* at Booth's Theatre last evening.

On this occasion, her first appearance since her return from Europe, Miss BATEMAN was received with acclamations by a vast audience, was called out and overwhelmed with plaudits and flowers at the end of every act, acted with extraordinary fire and vigor, and has altogether every reason to congratulate herself on the auspicious result. The drama of "Leah" is so familiar to most readers as to make a description of its plot and characteristics superfluous; since, we believe, the alterations of Mr. OXENFORD have changed no essential feature. As it stands, the drama is striking, intense and powerful. It could scarcely be better placed on the stage than it was last night, and the management of Booth's Theatre deserve infinite credit for the pains and taste they have thus exhibited. The support rendered Miss BATEMAN was also all or nearly all, that could have been wished. These circumstances were, of course, of great advantage to Miss BATEMAN, as giving a suitable setting to the extraordinary picture which, in this character, she now offers. Her action, her intonation, her facial expression have each and all been elaborately studied since she last played the part in New-York, and it is but truth to say that the effect is proportionately enhanced. There is certainly no artist on our own or on the English stage who can equal her in the part, and Americans have reason to take pride in the genius and prodigiency of their young country woman.

Mr. GEORGE JORDAN, who also made his first appearance since his return from England on this occasion, was warmly received by the audience, and speedily resumed the old enviable relations which he has long maintained here. He gave Miss BATEMAN valuable assistance, and especially in the great scene in the fourth act, where the lady gave the famous curse with electrical force and effect, Mr. JORDAN acted with singular taste and discrimination. The minor characters were performed in all cases by judicious and painstaking artists, who contributed a worthy share to the general effect. At the late hour at which we write, an analytical view of the whole drama would be out of the question. It is, however, proper to chronicle without delay the brilliant success of Miss BATEMAN'S reëntrance upon her native stage, and to augur for her a succession of triumphs in the immediate future. "Leah" will be repeated every night until further notice.

BURLESQUE AT WOOD'S MUSEUM.

It is questionable if the play of "Rip Van Winkle," indebted for its prominence in the dramatic repertory solely to the talent of the great comedian who has made the title-part his own, is to be regarded as substantial enough to furnish a plot for a burlesque. If a contrary opinion is entertained, however, it will be interesting to those authors who may share it to know that the parent of the work given at Wood's Museum last evening has not deprived them of any chance of a fulfillment of their intentions. It is not even a passable production of its kind. And, when we remember that the order to which it belongs has been very fairly represented here by the literary offspring of Mr. FARNIE, a pretty correct idea can be formed of the worth of a piece less deserving even than the brilliant extravaganza of "The Forty Thieves," of serious consideration. Its relationship to the original "Rip Van Winkle" is slight. Such as it is, it is to be traced in the title, in the name of two or three of the characters, in the continual rehearsal of a few of *Rip's* well-known sayings, and in the weird orchestral accompaniment of the mountain scene. The introduction of a fairy, however, complicates affairs a good deal, and the ethereality of that being too, seems not altogether perfect, when some mortal attendants bring her a chair from which to deliver an address in plain prose to her subjects. Taking it as a vehicle for the presentation to the frequenters of the Museum of the ZAVISTOWSKI Sisters, though, it is not altogether a failure. EMELINE, ALICE and CHRISTINE are young and pretty, and they sing and dance neatly. There are songs enough in "Rip Van Winkle" to bring each of them into view as vocalists, and a sufficiency of steps to supply all with an exercise which could hardly have been refreshing last night. These elements of the burlesque afforded much pleasure, and elicited repeated plaudits from a numerous assemblage. The scenery of the play, we may add, was fresh and appropriate, and offered a certain indication that the management of the Museum seeks to make the dramatic entertainments thoroughly attractive. The afternoon performances, now consisting of "The King's Musketeers," attain partially the desired result; but the frequenters of the house, always a most popular place of family resort, ought to be spared a hearing of pieces tolerated a few months ago, but now flat, stale and unprofitable.

Musical.

MASSES AND ANTHEMS.

Musical readers are aware that the noble Masses and Anthems of BACH, CHERUBINI, SPOHR, BEETHOVEN and other great composers, while written for full orchestral accompaniment, are usually rendered in this country, if at all, by church choirs with the solitary support of the organ. It is interesting as a matter of musical history to know that a score of choirs has been described in the City sufficient to give a "grand" of three performances of compositions of this class, with three rehearsals for each. The general features of the plan are understood to be as follows:

"Rehearsals and performances will be open to subscribers, the ladies and gentlemen of the chorus, and their invited guests, and to none others. No tickets will be sold by the Association. Each subscriber will receive such number of tickets (or rather cards of invitation) as corresponds with the amount of his subscription. In other words, the sittings will be divided pro rata among the subscribers, and each subscriber can dispose of his tickets among his friends as he pleases. Each regularly attending member of the chorus will be entitled to two free admissions. The orchestra will be composed of fifty-two instrumentalists, and the nucleus of the chorus will consist of 100 performers. As the performances will not be public, and no tickets sold, it is believed that ladies and gentlemen of the highest talent and culture will cheerfully give their aid in the chorus and solo parts. The rehearsals and performances will, in fact, be simply musical parties on a large scale, given by the subscribers to their friends."

It is understood that the musical director of these concerts is to be Dr. JAMES PECH, and that any persons who desire to take part in the undertaking may signify their wishes to G. T. STRONG, Esq., No. 68 Wall-street. The design is as praiseworthy as novel, and its consummation would certainly tend to elevate the standards of musical taste among us. We therefore trust that no impediments may arise to prevent it from being carried into effect.

PATTI CONCERTS.

The sale of the seats for the Carlotta Patti concerts, the first of which occurs on Saturday evening next, will be commenced this day at Steinway Hall.

OBITUARY.

Solomon D. Townsend, M. D.

DR. SOLOMON D. TOWNSEND, who died in Boston, Mass., on Sunday afternoon, after a brief illness of only a few hours' duration, was a son of the late Dr. DAVID TOWNSEND, and was born in Boston on the 1st of March, 1793. His father was a well-known physician of that city, and after serving in the Army of the Revolution was, during the greater part of his professional life, Surgeon of the Naval Hospital in Chelsea, and held other offices of trust and distinction. Dr. TOWNSEND was graduated at Harvard College in 1811, a classmate of Hon. EDWARD EVERETT, Rev. Dr. FROTHINGHAM, Chancellor DUNKIN, of South Carolina, and other well-known Alumni. Having completed the studies of medicine, he entered the service of the United States as a naval surgeon, and in that capacity spent three years of his early life. While serving in the Mediterranean, his friendship began with Admiral, then midshipman, FARRAGUT, an intimacy the remembrance of which he always fondly cherished. He was for many years one of the surgeons of the Massachusetts General Hospital, where his beautifully-finished marble bust now stands as a memorial of his kind and skilful services to the poor who came under his care. The Massachusetts Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary will miss his constant and faithful presence, as President of its Board of Directors, and remember gratefully the deep interest he always took in all its concerns. His professional skill, his uniform courtesy and kind heart, and his unbending integrity of his character, won for him in every station of life respect and esteem. He was in the truest sense of the word a Christian man, unselfish, living for others, unambitious of fame, simple-hearted, generous, child-like and true. He lived without an enemy, and died peacefully as he had lived, manifesting the same calm serenity in the last hour that had marked all the hours of his good life.

PERSONAL AND LITERARY.

M. THIERS' collection of engravings has been lately estimated at the enormous sum of 800,000f. His mother-in-law, Mme. DOSNE, assisted him in discovering the precious curiosities which are now in his possession, and which form one of the finest cabinets in Europe. This taste, *du reste*, was a dominant passion during the Orleanist monarchy, and shared by the princes of that house, whose patronage of art gave an impulse to its productions which of late years has been much wanting.

The oldest branch of the far-spreading royal family of the Hohensollerns has become extinct by the demise of Prince FREDERICK WILLIAM CONSTANTINE, of Hohenzollern-Heckingen. The late Prince, who was in his 68th year, had no issue by his first wife, the Princess EUGENIE, of Leuchtenberg, and his second union with the Countess VON ROTHENBERG being morganatic, the title is not handed down to his son by that marriage.

A decision has recently been given by one of the civil courts of Paris which deserves to be carefully studied by parents who contemplate matrimonial arrangements for their children in France. The defendants in the suit are well-known residents of New-York. The facts of the case are thus briefly given in *Galignani*, of Sept. 3:

"M. DE BRIMONT married, about two years ago, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. PENNIMAN, American subjects. No contract was drawn up, but the parents of the lady promised verbally, according to M. DE BRIMONT, to make the young couple an annual allowance of 50,000 francs, as a marriage portion. The young wife died a few months back, leaving an infant daughter, and Mr. PENNIMAN, who until then had paid regularly the money, refused to continue it to the son-in-law. The last named now brought a suit to enforce the continuance of the payment, as alimony for himself and daughter. The parents of the deceased lady, while offering to bring up the child, resisted the demand on the ground that the plaintiff was a spendthrift, that he had concealed numerous debts when he married, and had since contracted new ones, and moreover that he was young, and might by his labor procure for himself sufficient resources. The Tribunal, however, decided that as DE BRIMONT was without means of subsistence, and that as his own mother was not in a position of fortune to assist her son and granddaughter, the plaintiff had a right to an alimentary pension from his wife's parents; and consequently condemned them to pay an annual sum of 18,000 francs, of which 6,000 francs for M. DE BRIMONT and 12,000 francs for his infant daughter."

Relief for the Avondale Sufferers.

The members of the Forsyth-street Methodist Episcopal Church are subscribing liberally toward a fund for the relief of the Avondale families. Persons desiring to contribute are requested to call upon R. H. GIBLETT, at No. 109 Canal-street.

The subscriptions received at the St. Nicholas Hotel amounted to $233 82. Of this amount $151 32 was contributed by the employes of the house, the proprietors $50, and the guests the remainder.

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Employes of St. Nicholas Hotel	151 32
Guests of St. Nicholas Hotel	33 00
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A GREAT SUCCESS—GREATER THAN was anticipated. Two editions entirely exhausted. The publisher of HITCHCOCK'S NEW MONTHLY MAGAZINE is compelled to announce to the trade that no more copies of the October number can be had before THURSDAY, the 23d inst., at which date the American and the New-York News Companies will be able to supply all demands.

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FACTORY FOR SALE—ADAPTED FOR sash or carpet-planing works; fine water front; ample steam power; boilers, engine, boilers and pumps, mills, tanks, &c.; two dwellings and large grounds. C. DELAFIELD, No. 71 Broadway.

CITY REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE FURNISHED—A MEDIUM-sized brown-stone house, near 34th-av., within two squares of Fifth-av. Hotel; built by one of the first builders; contains a fine billiard-room; the fixtures and furnishing are of the most complete order; the gas and furniture new. Price $85,000. Apply to HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

A HANDSOME THREE-STORY HIGH-stoop brick house, 19x45x100; immediate possession; excellent neighborhood; all modern improvements; fine order; $10,500. Apply on premises, No. 230 53d-st., one block from Broadway cars.

FOR SALE—A FIRST-CLASS FOUR-STORY brown-stone high-stoop house in 20th-st. near 8th-av.; possession immediate. Apply to HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

BROOKLYN REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—IN BROOKLYN, NORTHWEST corner of Clinton and Lafayette-avs., some of those elegant four-story high-stoop brown-stone front Mansard-roofed houses, 21 and 22 by 48x100 or 200; these houses have been built 10 days' work under the supervision of the owner, in a most thorough and substantial manner; all modern improvements; repeat black-walnut finish; French plate glass; parlors decorate; terms to suit; about 18 rooms. Immediate possession. Take Gates-av. cars from Fulton Ferry. Inquire on the premises of THOMAS FAGAN, owner.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—AT CLINTON PLACE, NEW-Jersey, half a mile from the city line of Newark and a few minutes from the line of the Newark and Clinton Railroad. The property situated as above, formerly belonging to Daniel Pierson, and now to James Demarest, has been laid out into 98 building sites of half an acre and upward, and will be sold in parcels to suit purchasers or entire. On the premises is a large, double mansion, two stories and attic with extension, and replete with all conveniences, hot and cold water, furnace, &c., with suitable outbuildings. This property is admirably situated, and comprises some of the most beautiful building sites in Essex County. The nearness to the City of New-York, (only about fifty minutes, and soon to be less by the Passaic Valley and Peapoak Railroad,) the excellent character of the neighborhood, health and extensive view combined, offer a great inducement to business men who wish to secure a home near New-York in the finest suburb of Newark, being on a ridge of the highest land between New-York and the Orange Mountains, and destined to increase in value rapidly. The present owner would have no objection to form an association for improvement and remain interested. For further particulars and view of map of the property apply to JAMES DEMAREST, No. 61 Pine-st., New-York, T. C. CHANDLER & TEISE, No. 14 Pine-st., New-York, and No. 765 Broad-st., Newark.

FOR SALE AT MORRISANIA.
Westchester County, a double cottage, eleven rooms and three in attic, grounds on Spring-place, near the Boston road; plenty of fruit; good well of water. Inquire on the premises, Spring-place, between 4th and 5th sts., first house from the Boston road.

FOR SALE—AT GREAT NECK, WITHIN 14 miles of New-York by North Shore Railroad, a splendid farm of 100 acres, within five minutes' walk of the Great Neck Depot. This farm has many fine sites for building, and commands extensive views of the Sound and adjacent country, and is unsurpassed by any farm in the vicinity for subdivision into small plots. For terms apply to the owner,
JAMES HARPER,
No. 127 Court, near Dean-st., Brooklyn.

FOR SALE—A VERY DESIRABLE HOME-stead property at Summit, N. J., one hour from New-York via Morris and Essex Railroad. The house is built of brick and contains fourteen rooms; outbuildings numerous, all first-class. The grounds, consisting of four acres, are under high cultivation; five minutes' walk from depot; possession given when deared; price $25,000; $20,000 may remain on bond and mortgage. Address GEO. H. LE HURAY, Summit, N. J.

A THREE-STORY HOTEL, CONTAINING fifty rooms, with large barn and other outbuildings, and five acres of land, situated in South Egremont, Berkshire County, Mass., four miles from railroad station; all kinds of fruits and vegetables are grown on the farm; price of buildings and land, $15,000; one-half cash; valuation. Apply to JOHN S. PIERCE, 166 Broadway, corner Pine-st.

NOTICE TO GARDENERS.—GARDEN lands for rent in Newark, Jersey, within four miles of New-York City, in quantities to suit. These lands are easy of access to Newark, Jersey City and New-York. The soil is rich, and any kind of vegetables or grain can be raised by easy culture. Inquire of S. N. PIKE & CO., Nos. 79 and 80 Broad-st., or No. 52 Bridge-st., New-York.

FOR SALE AT ELIZABETH, N. J.—A Country and city combined; a new house containing nine rooms with all the modern improvements, situated at West Elizabeth Station; lot contains 1¼ acres, fruit trees and garden all laid out; near barn on the property; price, $6,000. A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BRO., No. 20 Pine-st., New-York.

STATEN ISLAND SPECIALTY.—FOR sale, a fine country seat, with good dwelling and outbuildings; situation high; fifteen minutes from North Shore landing, or twenty minutes from railroad station, Staten Island. Photograph of house at PHELPS, FALLON & CO.'S, No. 135 Broadway, under Home Ins. Co.

STATEN ISLAND SPECIALTY.—TO lease at New-Brighton, the residence of the late Admiral Sloat, three minutes from landing; one of the most attractive situations on the North Shore.
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No. 135 Broadway, under Home Insurance Co.

NEWARK, N. J.—FOR SALE, A DESIRable residence, situated within half a block of railroad station, in one of the finest avenues of the City; large stone houses, 42x36, 13 rooms, gas, &c.; lot 75x200; nicely improved; pears, peaches, and all kinds of fruit; $22,000. A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BRO., No. 20 Pine-st., New-York.

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FOR SALE—A NUMBER OF RESIDENCES in Jersey City and Bergen City, N. J.; prices ranging from $3,000 to $40,000. These are all pleasantly located, and will be sold on easy terms and at great bargains. Apply to R. C. SPEER & CO., No. 80 Cedar-st.

VALUABLE SOUTHERN LANDS FOR sale or exchange; will pay part cash, if necessary. Apply to G. W. DAVENPORT, No. 116 Nassau-st.

DWELLINGS TO LET.

FURNISHED HOUSE IN STAMFORD.—To let for a year, or for the Winter, a stone house, furnished, with 18 rooms and stone stable, beautifully situated in view of the Sound; one mile from railroad station; 10 acres of ground, covered with fruit and shade trees. Rent, $2,500 for the year; $125 a month for the Winter. Apply to Dr. JOHN LORD, Stamford, Conn.

RENTING OF HOUSES—FURNISHED and unfurnished; have daily applications from responsible parties; terms and prompt attention given. PHELPS, FALLON & CO.,
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A FOUR-STORY HIGH-STOOP brown-stone house to let on 46th-st. near Madison-av.; rent $3,500; all modern improvements. HOLLY BROTHERS & HISSAM, No. 30 Pine-st.

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TO RENT—FURNISHED, A FOUR-STORY high-stoop brown-stone house, in fine location, elegantly and fully furnished, to a private family only. Apply at No. 277 Broadway.

TO LET, FURNISHED—HOUSE NO. 214 West 42d-st., for one year from Oct. 1; house four stories; basement in perfect condition; price $275 per month. To be seen from 2 to 4 P. M.

STORES, &C., TO LET.

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The Asbury Life Insurance Company being about to remove to their new building, No. 94 Broadway, corner of 11th-st., offer to let their present offices at No. 221 Broadway, corner of Reade-st. Apply on the premises.

DESK-ROOM TO LET—NO. 5 BEEKman-st., Room No. 7, first floor.

HOUSES & ROOMS WANTED.

WANTED—BY A SMALL PRIVATE FAMily, a modern three-story high-stoop well-furnished house, between 4th and 6th avs., 14th and 30th sts.; must be in good order and moderate rent. Address K. G., Station D; stating terms and location.

WANTED—TO BUY OR LEASE FOR A long term, a first class high-stoop house, unfurnished, for a private family; location between 14th and 24th sts. and M and 6th avs.; one with stable near by preferred. Address A. B., Station B.

A WELL-FURNISHED HOUSE WANTed near railroad station in New-Jersey, within 15 miles of New-York, till June or longer, by a small private family. Address, stating rent and full particulars, E. H., Box No. 1,288 New-York Post Office.

WANTED—A NEATLY-FURNISHED house, from the 1st of November till middle April, by a small family; location between 16th and 23d sts., 6th and 8th avs. Address C. L. B., Box No. 688 Post Office, New-York.

FURNISHED HOUSE WANTED.—To let by or from an undisputable neighborhood; four stories; rent not to exceed $350 per month. Apply to FRANCIS TOMES, JR., or E. HASTINGS GRANT, No. 194 Broadway, opposite Boy-st.

FURNISHED HOUSE WANTED (ON E or near Murray Hill; four stories, full size, well furnished) until May 1; or later. Address C. D., Box 1,474, Newburg, N. Y., with full description and lowest price.

HOUSE WANTED—WILL BUY OR lease a moderate-sized house in fine order, between 4th and Park avs. and 19th and 26th sts. NEWTON CARPENTER, No. 22 Union-square.

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FOR SALE—A SPLENDID COUPE HORSE, 15¼ hands high, 7 years old; has been well trained to saddle and harness; for style, action and beauty cannot be surpassed; is warranted sound, kind and true. Sold in consequence of the loss of his mate. Apply at office No. 203 East 26th-st., or private stable No. 207 East 26th-st.

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A general assortment of house-furnishing hardware, knives, forks, carvers, iron fronts, &c., at U. S. LITTLE'S, No. 29 Fulton-st., New-York.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

BY A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BRO., Auctioneers and Dealers in New-Jersey Real Estate, No. 20 Pine-st., New-York.

THURSDAY, Sept. 23,
At 1 o'clock P. M.,
PEREMPTORY SALE
of
90 BUILDING LOTS
at
BAYONNE, N. J.
By order of George Pomeroy, Esq.

Only twenty-five minutes from the New-York side of the river, with over forty trains daily by the Central Railroad of New-Jersey.

These lots are beautifully situated at the highest point on Bergen Neck, commanding magnificent views of New-York City and Bay, the Narrows, and the Islands of the Harbor; are very near the station, and in the immediate vicinity of churches and improvements; streets graded, and the property generally in fine condition.

Special train from the foot of Liberty-st. at 12:15. Collation on the arrival of the train.

Efficient detectives will be in attendance.

Maps and passes ready seven days before the sale at the office of

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NINETY-NINE
BUILDING LOTS,
ON THE
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IN
WEST HOBOKEN, HUDSON CO., N. J.,
AT PUBLIC AUCTION,
ON TUESDAY, SEPT. 28, 1869,
At 12 o'clock M., on the premises.

TRUSDELL & CRANE will sell as above, at auction and on the ground, 99 BUILDING LOTS, slightly located building lots, situated on Bergen Wood, Summit and Paterson avs., De Mott, Hoboken and Courtland sts., and Paterson and New-York Plank road, West Hoboken, Hudson Co., N. J.

Said property is situated on high ground, commanding splendid views of the surrounding country, convenient to the city by horse cars, and to those that desire a plot for a residence in a healthy location, can not fail to make a selection from the whole or parts of the property, to purchase the same; and to capitalists, no better property could be selected for an investment.

TERMS OF SALE—Ten per cent. and auctioneers' fees on day of sale; 20 per cent. Oct. 28; 20 per cent. Nov. 27; balance in two equal payments in one and two years.

Maps and full particulars can be obtained upon application at TRUSDELL & CRANE'S Real Estate Exchange, No. 34 Hudson-st., Hoboken, N. J.

TO ATTEND SALE—Take Hudson City and West Hoboken horse cars at Hoboken Ferry, stopping at Paterson-av., West Hoboken, which runs through the property.

Stages for the ground will leave Hoboken Ferry on the day of sale, at 11½ o'clock A. M.

J. JOHNSON, JR., Auctioneer.

HI! HO! FOR RAMWAY!
JOHNSON & MILLER
Invite clerks, mechanics, and all who wish to secure delightful breezes at a moderate price for the

To accompany them on their
GREAT FREE RIDE AND FREE LUNCH
EXCURSION TO RAMWAY,
On
TUESDAY, Sept. 28, 1869.

On this occasion they will sell at public auction, positively and without reserve, to the highest bidder,
FIVE
SPLENDID BUILDING LOTS,
Situate at the
SIX ROADS, THIRD WARD, CITY OF RAMWAY, N. J.,
on terms so easy and accommodating that all may secure in that delightful place homes of their own. This will be the best chance of the season. No undertrading allowed. Be sure to go. A day in the country will be beneficial to you.

The lots to be sold are on a gentle slope, rising from the railroad, in the most delightful part of the City. Ramway has constant communication with New-York by thirty-four daily trains over New-Jersey Railroad. It is a place for workingmen to live, with all the natural advantages. It has extensive manufacturing interests; population, 12,000; twelve churches; excellent schools; all leading streets sewered, flagged and paved with Belgian pavement.

HOW TO GO.—Take special train, which will leave foot of Cortlandt-st. via New-Jersey Railroad, at 11 o'clock on morning of sale, TUESDAY, Sept. 28.

Free excursion tickets may be had of JOHNSON & MILLER, No. 25 Nassau-st., New-York, or of GEO. R. JAQUES, Esq., No. 308 Broadway, New-York.

A. J. BLECKER, Auctioneer.

SPLENDID COUNTRY SEAT AT PASSAIC, N. J.

A. J. BLECKER, SON & CO. will sell at auction on WEDNESDAY, Sept. 22, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, the charming Oriental residence of Edward T. Christianson, Esq., delightfully situated on the Passaic River, 15 minutes' walk from the railroad station and 45 minutes from the foot of Chambers-st., on the New-York and Erie Railroad. The mansion is 40x50 feet, built in the best and most substantial manner, finished with black walnut, marble slate-tiled hearths, and windows. St. Domingo mahogany inside blinds, bath-rooms, billiard-room, hot and cold water, stationary wash-tubs, and all the conveniences of a well-appointed residence. Also, a fine carriage-house, stable, ice-house, and outbuildings, all in good order. The grounds contain about three acres, with fine orchard, lawn, &c. A span of fine horses and carriages, cows and other stock will be sold after the sale of the residence. The furniture will be sold afterward at an early day.

ALSO,
A neat cottage on the river, and a plot of land of about one acre, river front, adjoining the above property. For particulars, apply at the auction-room, No. 77 Cedar-st., New-York.

WEST BERGEN.—THE SALE OF 200 LOTS at this delightful neighborhood will be made THIS DAY, (Tuesday,) by J. & J. LEFFERTS, SON & CO., at 1 o'clock. Train, 11:40, foot of Liberty-st. Tickets for distribution at the auction room or at the ferry.

AUCTION SALES.

HENRY H. LEEDS, Auctioneer—Salesrooms Nos. 96 Chambers and 77 Reade sts.; Art Galleries Nos. 817 and 819 Broadway.

BY HENRY H. LEEDS & MINER—A VALUABLE PRIVATE ESTABLISHMENT OF HORSES, CARRIAGES, PHAETON, DOG CART, &c., &c.

HENRY H. LEEDS & MINER will sell by auction on FRIDAY, Sept. 24, at 10 o'clock, at the private stable on Washington-alley, between 8th-st. and Washington-square, third stable from University-place, a valuable private establishment, consisting of A PAIR OF SORREL HORSES, 16¼ hands, long tails, 7 and 8 years old, very stylish drivers, perfectly sound and kind in all harness, cost $2,500. A COUPE, pole and shafts, in fine order, made by Brewster; A BROUGHAM, in fine order, made by Brewster; AN ENGLISH PHAETON, pole and shafts; A DOG CART, made by Brewster; A LIGHT WAGON, pole and shafts; an English double harness, two sets by, made by Hunting makers, four sets blankets, robes, stable furniture, stove, boilers, &c., &c., the property of a family leaving for Europe. Every article will be sold to the highest bidder, and can be seen at the above stables any day before 11 and after 4 o'clock, until sale. The right to sell the horses at private sale only reserved.

By J. H. DRAPER & Co., Auctioneers.

WILL BE OFFERED AT PUBLIC SALE, on TUESDAY, 28th September, 1869, at 12 o'clock, noon, at Hoboken, by order of Hon. E. C. Banfield, Solicitor of the Treasury,

THE IRON STEAMER "VIRGIN,"

now lying at the Sectional Dock, Hoboken; Clyde built; length of keel, 150 feet 3 inches; depth of hold, 10 feet 9 inches; tonnage, 421 84-100; engines double oscillating.

TERMS OF SALE—Ten per cent. of the amount bid to be deposited for the successful bidder at the time of sale. The remainder to be paid on confirmation of the sale by the Secretary of the Treasury, and the delivery of the vessel.

Tug will leave the Barge Office Wharf, foot of Whitehall-st., at 11 A. M., on the above-named day, for the convenience of those who wish to attend the sale.

For further particulars inquire of
M. H. GRINNELL, Collector of Customs,
New-York.

ALDERMAN & WOOD, Auctioneers.

BANKRUPT SALE—IN BANKRUPTCY.—In the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of JAMES P. DYCK, bankrupt.—Notice is hereby given that Aldridge & Wood will sell by order of the undersigned assignee of the above-named bankrupt, at public auction, at the factory known as the factory of the

LODI MANUFACTURING COMPANY,
at Kearney, Hudson County, N. J., on
MONDAY, THE 27TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1869,
at 12 o'clock, M., the following articles of the bankrupt estate, viz.: Six horses, 100 wheelbarrows, 1 platform scale, a number of carts, wagons, harness, bags, farm and other tools, a quantity of office furniture, consisting of an iron safe, desks, chairs, &c., and also about 2,000 tons of unmanufactured fertilizers, consisting of night soil and offal and a quantity of barrels and barrel materials.—Dated Sept. 14, 1869.

(Signed) WILLIAM C. AMERMAN,
Assignee.
N. B.—Terms cash.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of the SOLDIERS' BUSINESS MESSENGER AND DELIVERY COMPANY, bankrupt.—Notice is hereby given that on SATURDAY, Oct. 2, 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office, No. 107 Broadway, New-York, I will sell to the highest bidder all unsettled accounts in favor of said bankrupt, and all shares of stock and dividends of said company, or fractional parts thereof.

About 2,000 shares of the capital stock of the Company (par value $25) will be sold.

Dated, New-York, Sept. 20, 1869.
H. EDWIN TREMAIN, Assignee.

TEACHERS.

A THOROUGH LINGUIST AND EX-perienced lecturer on history, languages and general literature, of England, France, Germany and Italy; expert translator, correspondent, writer and teacher of composition, conversation, grammar, &c., wishes to make an engagement for his full time, or would accept a few pupils or temporary occupation. Address PROFESSOR, Greenville, Hudson County, N. J.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of BRONSON PECK, a bankrupt.—In bankruptcy.—The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of the estate and effects of the said Bronson Peck, the bankrupt above named, praying for leave and authority to redeem and discharge a certain mortgage on a lease executed by the said bankrupt to Philander D. Hall, of the City of New-York, on the 6th day of September, 1866, by Bronson Peck, the said bankrupt, and which said mortgage is recorded in the office of the Register of the City and County of New-York, in Liber 771 of Mortgages, page 631, and also for leave and authority to pay the costs and expenses of the proceedings instituted to discharge the said bankrupt, and it having been referred, by an order of this Court made in this bankruptcy on the 3d day of September, 1869, to Isaac Dayton, Esq., the Register in Bankruptcy in charge of these proceedings, to take proofs of the matters stated in said petition: Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the said order of this Court, to all creditors of Bronson Peck, the said bankrupt, and other persons interested, that they are required to appear before the said Isaac Dayton, the Register in Bankruptcy aforesaid, at his office No. 302 Broadway, in the City of New-York, Room No. 4, on Wednesday, the 6th day of October, 1869, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if they have, why an order should not be passed by this Court upon said petition, authorizing and empowering the said assignee to compound and settle the said indebtedness for the said sum of one thousand dollars.—GEORGE F. BETTS, Clerk.

IN BANKRUPTCY—IN THE DISTRICT Court of the United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of PHINEAS H. LAWRENCE, bankrupt.—Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court, by Phineas H. Lawrence, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts, and other claims provable under said act, and that the 14th day of October, 1869, at 12 o'clock M., at the office of James F. Dwight, Register in Bankruptcy, No. 7 Beekman-st. (corner of Nassau), Room 4 and 5, in the City of New-York, is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted; and that the second and third meetings of creditors will be held at the same time and place. Dated New-York, on the 17th day of September, 1869.
GEORGE F. BETTS, Clerk.
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of DEMARIAH C. DURAH (C. DURAH & CO.), bankrupt.—The said bankrupt, having applied to the Court for a discharge from his debts: By order of the Court, Notice is hereby given to all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest, to appear, on the 14th day of October, A. D., 1869, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at Chambers of the said District Court, before Isaac Dayton, one of the Registers of the said Court in bankruptcy, at his office, No. 302 Broadway, in the City of New-York, Room No. 4, and show cause why the prayer of said petition of the bankrupt should not be granted, and why a discharge should not be granted to the said bankrupt.—Dated New-York, 16th September, 1869.
GEO. F. BETTS, Clerk.
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of FREDERICK G. SPRINGMEYER, WILLIAM H. SPRINGMEYER and JOHN H. SPRINGMEYER, bankrupts.—Notice is hereby given that the third general meeting of the creditors of the above-named bankrupts, and the creditors of each of said bankrupts, will be held on the 6th day of October, 1869, at 12 o'clock noon, at the chambers of said District Court, before Isaac Dayton, one of the Registers of the said Court in Bankruptcy, at his office, No. 302 (two hundred and two) Broadway

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FOR LIVERPOOL AND QUEENSTOWN.—Inman Line of Mail Steamers are appointed to sail as follows:
CITY OF BALTIMORE, (via Halifax,) Tuesday, Sept. 21, 1 P. M.
CITY OF BOSTON.....Saturday, Sept. 25, 1 P. M.
CITY OF PARIS.....Saturday, Oct. 2, 1 P. M.
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And each succeeding SATURDAY and alternate TUESDAY, from Pier No. 45 North River.
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Branch Steamer..... } | Branch Steamer..... }
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CALLING AT QUEENSTOWN.
From Pier No. 46 North River, WEDNESDAY.
NEVADA.....3,125 tons.....Sept. 22, at 4 P. M.
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NEBRASKA.....3,252 tons.....Oct. 6, at 3½ P. M.
MANHATTAN.....2,565 tons.....Oct. 13.
IDAHO.....3,132 tons.....Oct. 20.
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PENNSYLVANIA, HALL, Saturday, Oct. 2, at 1 P. M.
Passage to Liverpool or Queenstown: Cabin, $100 and $80; Steerage, $30, currency.
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ATLANTIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
Sailing regularly every THURSDAY, at 3 o'clock P. M., precisely, from Pier No. 4 North River.
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COLUMBIA, Captain M. V. SANDS.....Sept. 30
EAGLE, Captain M. R. GREENE, (via Nassau).....Oct. 7
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UNITED STATES AND BRAZIL MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
REGULAR MAIL STEAMERS sailing on the 23d of every month:
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CARRYING THE ROYAL MAILS.
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LIVINGSTON, FOX & CO., Agents,
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SAN SALVADOR, Captain INGRAHAM, SATURDAY, Sept. 25, from Pier No. 3 North River, at 3 P. M.
WM. R. GARRISON, Agent,
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HUNTSVILLE, Captain CROWELL, SATURDAY, Sept. 25, from Pier No. 13 North River, at 2 P. M.
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Thursday, Sept. 23, 10 A. M. | Friday, Sept. 24, 6 A. M.
Saturday, Sept. 25, 10 A. M. | Monday, Sept. 27, 8 A. M.
Tuesday, Sept. 28, 9 A. M. | Tuesday, Sept. 28, 1 P. M.
Wed'y, Sept. 29, 9:30 A. M. | Wed'y, Sept. 29, 1:30 P. M.
Thur'y, Sept. 30, 10:30 A. M. | Thur'y, Sept. 30, 2:30 P. M.
Leave Long Branch at 5:20 P. M.

ALBANY AND TROY DAY LINE.—CHANGE OF HOUR.—The steamboats DANIEL DREW will, on and after THURSDAY, July 8, leave Desbrosses-st. at 8, and 54th-st. at 8:15, landing at Yonkers, West Point, Cornwall, Newburg, Poughkeepsie, Tivoli, Rhinebeck, Catskill and Hudson. Tickets sold and baggage checked on board the boats to all points on New-York Central and Rensselaer and Saratoga Railroads.

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FOR KEYPORT.—STEAMER MATTEAWAN leaves New-York, foot of Barclay-st., at 3:30 P. M., and Keyport at 7:30 A. M., until Oct. 18; then leaves New-York at 2 P. M. and Keyport at 8 A. M.

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8:00 A. M., Buffalo express, drawing-room cars attached.
10:30 A. M., Northern and Western express, drawing-room cars attached.
11:00 A. M., special Chicago express, through in 29 hours; elegant drawing-room cars attached.
4:00 P. M., Montreal express, drawing-room cars attached.
6:30 P. M., Pacific express, with sleeping-cars attached; through to Chicago without change, (daily.)
11:00 P. M., night express, sleeping-cars attached.
2:30 P. M., Hudson train.
5:00 P. M., Poughkeepsie train, (Sundays, 9 A. M.)
10:00 A. M., 4:15 and 7 P. M., Peekskill trains.
5:30 and 6 P. M., Sing Sing trains.
8:30, 7:10, 9, 9:45 and 11:30 A. M., 2, 4:25, 5:10, 7:10 and 11:30 P. M., Yonkers trains.
Aug. 30, 1869. J. M. TOUCEY, Superintendent.

ERIE RAILWAY.—TRAINS WILL leave depots foot of Chambers-st. and foot of 23d-st. as follows:
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For Paterson and Way, from 23d-st. Depot, at 6:30 A. M., 9 A. M., 12 M., 1:30 P. M. (daily,) 4 P. M. and 6:30 P. M. From Chambers-st. Depot, at 6:45 A. M., 9:15 A. M., 12:15 M., 1:45 P. M. (daily,) 4 P. M. and 6:45 P. M.
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BOARD WANTED.—A PRIVATE FAMILY having a suite of three rooms and bedroom, above second story, with all conveniences attached, in a first-class central location, between 23d and 42d sts., with liberal board, for a gentleman, wife and two daughters, may hear of desirable parties by addressing A. B. C., Box No. 248 Post Office, stating terms and particulars; unexceptionable references required.

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A GENTLEMAN DESIRES TO OBTAIN A sitting-room and bedroom, adjoining, and kitchen, or use of one, along with a room for his cook, all furnished. A family of undoubted respectability, having no children or lodgers, can procure a worthy tenant, if located in the vicinity of Madison-square, by addressing JOHN MUDIE, No. 696 Broadway.

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WANTED—BOARD FOR A GENTLEMAN, wife, child 2½ years old, and nurse, for the month of October; terms must be moderate and location good; references. Address HOME, Box No. 4,927 Post Office, stating terms and location.

No. 159 WEST 11TH-ST.—DESIRABLE parties can obtain well-furnished parlor and bedroom, second floor, front, with board; house first-class; every improvement; neighborhood excellent; references.

No. 56 (OLD NO.) EAST 35TH-ST., corner Park-av.—Large front and back room on the second floor, and parlor and bedroom on the first floor, well furnished, with modern conveniences, to let with board.

A PRIVATE FAMILY, LIVING IN their own house, (14th-st.,) offer first-class accommodations to parties willing to make liberal, not extravagant, arrangements; references exchanged. Address F., Post Office Box No. 2,783.

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VERY HANDSOMELY-FURNISHED rooms to let with board at No. 50 West 24th-st.; table and accommodations first-class; references exchanged.

A PARTY OF GENTLEMEN OR a small family can find handsomely furnished rooms, with excellent board, at No. 55 West 12th-st., between 5th and 6th avs.

HANDSOMELY FURNISHED ROOMS to let with board, in a private family, on West 32d-st.; house and neighborhood first-class; references exchanged. Address B. E., Box No. 5,896 Post Office.

HANDSOMELY FURNISHED ROOMS to let, first-class house, with or without private table, to families or single gentlemen. Address A. A., Post Office Box No. 5,715.

No. 13 WASHINGTON-PLACE, FIVE doors from New-York Hotel.—An elegantly furnished second floor, with or without board; private table, if desired; rooms for gentlemen.

SECOND FLOOR TO LET, COMPLETE, consisting of four handsome rooms, bath, &c., with private table; house and location first-class; highest references required. No. 21 East 22d-st., near 5th-av.

A SMALL, PRIVATE AMERICAN family can accommodate a gentleman with a furnished room, without board. No. 96 West 11th-st., between 5th and 6th avs. References.

NICELY-FURNISHED SECOND floor, with board, in a small private family, on 28th-st., near 6th-av. Apply at Everett Library, No. 72 West 34th-st.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET, WITH or without board, to single gentlemen, or would accommodate a gentleman and wife; terms reasonable. Call at No. 160 West 16th-st., between 6th and 7th avs.

TO LET.—A SUITE OF ROOMS ON THE SECond floor, with full or partial board; also, a nice front room on the third floor. Apply at No. 318 East 20th-st., near 2d-av.

MOST COMFORTABLY FURNISHED rooms for gentlemen, singly or en suite, at No. 46 East 26th-st., fifth door east of Union League Club-house; just new furnished: reference required.

A PRIVATE FAMILY WILL LET A pleasant parlor with board; also, one or two rooms on third floor. No. 331 West 32d-st., between 8th and 9th avs.

A SECOND FLOOR OF THREE rooms, elegantly furnished, to let with board; private table if desired; terms moderate. No. 51 West 16th-st., between 5th and 6th avs.

A CHOICE OF FIRST-CLASS ROOMS and board on first and second floors; best references given and required. Apply at 97 Clinton-place.

ROOMS TO RENT, WITHOUT BOARD, to gentlemen only, at No. 18 East 17th-st., between Union-square and 5th-av.

No. 34 WEST 25TH-ST., NEAR MADison-square—Desirable suites of furnished rooms for gentlemen, without board, in a first-class house.

No. 217 WEST 36TH-ST.—FURNISHED first floor, four rooms, convenient for light housekeeping; bedrooms with or without board; references.

FIFTH-AV., N

THE LAKE CITY.

Conventions in Chicago—Meetings of the Woman's Suffrage, Pharmaceutical, and Chiropractors' Associations—Politics in Illinois.

From Our Own Correspondent.

CHICAGO, Friday, Sept. 10, 1869.

Conventions have been the rage in Chicago during the present week. The "Western Woman's Suffrage Association" has been holding a meeting, which, though not largely attended, drew together quite a number of the notables engaged in the agitation, from different sections of the country. The Convention last Spring created quite a furor; but the one which closed this evening scarcely produced a sensation among the excitable denizens of Chicago. Quite a number of women turned out to see what rights they have been deprived of, and to hear the speakers; but it is evident that the cause is losing ground in the West. The meeting in New-York seems to have had a bad influence, and is said to have changed the minds of a large number on the question, while the course pursued by the Resolution in advocating so many things revolting to the moral sense of the community, has had an effect to turn many against the movement.

The Convention was permanently organized by choosing Mrs. M. A. LIVERMORE, of this city, as President, and then followed a general and miscellaneous discussion, running through two days' sitting, and all the arguments were but a repetition of what has been uttered at every Convention held heretofore. Even Mrs. LIVERMORE repeated her favorite saying that "women had to choose between a husband and nothing, and this amounted not unfrequently to a choice between two nothings." Mrs. WILLARD, author of *Sexology*, was greatly concerned about the rights of maternity, and was for invoking legislative interference to regulate the matter. She wanted to make woman independent in the maternal sphere. The customary resolutions were offered to form a committee, of which Judge WAIT, of this city, was Chairman. The resolutions formed the groundwork of a long and rambling "talk," and were finally adopted.

S. M. BOOTH, "LUCY STONE," Mr. BLACKWELL, Professor STONE, Judge WAIT, Mrs. DE GEER, Miss HENRY, and quite a number of lesser lights, participated in the debate. Mme. D'HERICOURT addressed the Convention in French, much to the edification of those who understood the language. Miss THOMPSON, a theological student from Canton, N. Y., opened the Convention with prayer with much dignity and appropriateness.

The Fifteenth Amendment and the irrepressible negro came in for a share of the discussion. Some opposed the amendment because it does not include women as well as negroes—after the manner of the *Revolution*—but the majority of Western women are not so narrow in their views. Professor TOOKE, of Dixon College, advocated the admission of women to all educational institutions on an equal footing with men. The object of calling this Convention is not known, nor did it accomplish anything, as there were no practical measures calculated to forward the movement presented or adopted.

ANOTHER CONVENTION.

A National Convention, called "The Pharmaceutical Convention," or, perhaps, the annual meeting of the Society, has also been in session. The time was mostly occupied in talks about drugs, and covered a large extent of ground. During the session, which lasted four days, several valuable scientific papers were read upon the various branches of the trade, business or profession, whichever it may be, and the following resolutions adopted, which relate to a matter in which the public have a special interest:

Resolved, That we see with alarm and regret the rapid increase of accidents and accidents which occur from mistakes and mismanagement in dispensing medicinal substances, and that we earnestly desire to see these casualties checked and controlled.

Resolved, That we regard the ignorance and irresponsibility of many who engage in the practice of pharmacy, without proper qualifications, as the principal causes of such casualties.

Resolved, That a proper degree of education and qualification should be secured by law, and that all proper measures for educating and qualifying persons for duties so important should receive more encouragement and protection from the law than they have hitherto done.

A good portion of the last day was spent in expelling a member, Mr. HENRY STEARNS, of Detroit, on the grave charge of having prepared, advertised and sold a medicine, which was called "sweet quinine." During the discussion, Mr. WRIGHT, of New-York, very pertinently inquired if the resolution of expulsion were carried out, how long could the Association exist, as all diluted their medicines more or less. Another member said that as a large number of apothecaries were selling liquors over their counters, thus encouraging intemperance, he could not vote for expulsion. But Mr. STEARNS was finally expelled by a vote of 63 to 22. Baltimore was selected as the place for holding the next meeting.

We have also had, during the week, the "Sixth ANNUAL Meeting of the International Union of Cigarmakers;" but as the business transacted concerned only the trade, it is of no particular importance to the general public. Appealed cases from subordinate unions appeared to engage a good share of the attention of the Convention.

POLITICAL.

We are now undergoing the periodical fever which always precedes the municipal election. The saloon keepers and their hangers-on are excited, as are candidates for office who go around distributing money among them. There is quite a lively contest between the "Ring" and the "Anti-Rings," or, in other words, between the ins and outs. Nominations are being made throughout the State by all parties—Democratic, Republican and Prohibition—so that we are likely to have a three-cornered fight. In Kane County the Republicans have taken up the Prohibition candidate for the Constitutional Convention.

The weather is fine, and so warm that the corn crop is considered out of danger. Business is looking up, with a fair Fall trade in prospect, and about the usual number of crimes, casualties and public dinners are constantly occurring.

TREACHEROUS SAVAGES.

A Party of Indians Feasted at Fort Buford—Another Party Murder a Gang of Wood-choppers Near by.

From the St. Joseph (Mo.) Herald, Sept. 17.

The following particulars of an Indian massacre near Fort Buford, on the Upper Missouri, reach us from an authentic source:

It is the usual custom for Indian traders to give the heads of the different tribes a feast each year. On the occasion to which we refer, Mr. LARPENTER, whose trading post is at Fort Buford, had given a feast to a large number of Indians. After their repast, they went to the officers' quarters at Fort Buford, and amused the latter with a war dance. Of course every one in or about the fort was present to witness this novel and amusing performance, little dreaming that while they were standing as spectators to witness the war dance of a lot of *quasi* peaceable savages, their friends, only one and a half mile from the fort, were being murdered. A party of wood-choppers, named PETER E. BUGAN, whose parents reside in Butler County, Pennsylvania; JAS. H. MCLAIN, from some part of Illinois; J. URALDIE, an Italian, and an old plainsman named ADAM JONES, went out the morning to which we allude, to cut wood, about one mile and a half from the fort. About noon, and before the wood-choppers were able to give the alarm, they were surrounded by about seventy-five Indian warriors belonging to the Hones Papa tribe. The Indians immediately surrounded and commenced an attack on the small band of white men. The latter being well armed, fought back with a heroism very seldom heard of. For one hour the unequal contest raged, at the end of which time the four white men were killed, but not before they had killed ten and dangerously wounded thirteen more of their enemies. After the Indians had killed the four white men, they proceeded to take their scalps. Previous to this time, Mr. J. W. COOPER, hearing shots, and suspecting that everything was not right, got on his horse and rode in the direction from whence the sounds proceeded. As he came in sight of the Indians they started for the Missouri River. Mr. COOPER hearing the condition of affairs, returned immediately to the Fort and gave the alarm. A large number of citizens and soldiers went in pursuit, but before they reached the hostile ground the Indians had scalped the four white men, and were in the act of carrying off their own dead. The white men giving pursuit, the Indians made a bee-line for the Missouri River. They succeeded in reaching the opposite bank, and gaining protection from the underbrush on its bank before their white pursuers came within rifle range. Ten Indians were killed outright, and thirteen wounded. The latter made their escape. The bodies of the ten dead Indians were fastened to the horses of the soldiers and citizens, and dragged to Fort Buford, where they were cut up and quartered. It would appear that the four white men fought until they were killed. When found they were clustered together, some of them having fired from fifty to seventy rounds of cartridges.

Our informant states that a part of the same band of Indians on the same day and about the same time, attacked a train belonging to Captain PAYNE. There were about thirty-five men in Captain PAYNE'S party. He had one man wounded and one horse stolen.

Old Indian traders express great fears of a general Indian outbreak. They say that the Indians never showed as much hostility as they do at the present time, and everything indicates an Indian war.

LOCAL POLITICS.

Discussions of the Democracy—A Protest Against Tammany Hall Nominations.

The Democratic Union General Committee held a special meeting last night at Masonic Hall, Thirteenth-street, near Fourth-avenue, Supervisor SMITH ELY, Jr., in the chair. The business of the evening was the appointment of an Executive Committee of one from each Assembly District, and to take action in reference to the State Convention, which meets on Wednesday. After discussion it was determined not to send delegates to the Convention, and an address and resolutions were adopted. In the address the Committee say:

This Committee would also respectfully state that the representatives of the Tammany Hall organization ought not to be permitted to influence the action of the State Convention in making nominations or otherwise, that organization not fairly representing any considerable portion of the New-York City Democracy. The leaders of Tammany Hall, having obtained their positions years since, have retained them in defiance of the wishes of the party, by a system which they have invented to deprive the people of all voice in the choice of their representatives. Thus secure in power they have defied their party and public opinion, using their positions for the purpose of enriching themselves by means which have brought odium upon the Democratic Party, and made the corruptions of the New-York City Government a by-word throughout the nation. The indignation with which their acts are regarded by the City Democracy is shown by the fact that at the last election our State ticket received a majority of 69,040 in this City, while the majority at the same election for Mr. TWEED, the peculiar representative of Tammany Hall, and Chairman of their General Committee, was only 11,971. We further object to the Tammany Ring being permitted to influence the councils of the Democracy of the State, because they have betrayed and defrauded the party to which they profess to belong. For the continued existence of the proscriptive, unjust and tyrannical Boards and Commissions which oppress our people and deprive them of the privilege of self-government, Tammany Hall is alone responsible. They have recently elected to the office of Mayor the gentleman who was the author of these odious Commissions, and who framed the laws under which those Commissions exist. They have conspired to defraud the Democratic Party of the immense patronage of the County through the Board of Supervisors. The law which created this Board was ingeniously arranged to make it consist of an equal number of each party; but the Democracy of the City, two years ago, elected an independent Democrat to that Board, which destroyed the balance, and gave it a Democratic majority, which still exists. All attempts, however, to organise the Board upon a Democratic basis have been defeated by Mr. TWEED, Grand Sachem of Tammany Hall, who is a member of the Board, and who publicly declared in one of its meetings, that as it was the evident intention of the Republican Legislature, which created the Board of Supervisors, to keep its patronage and powers equally divided, he should do all in his power to keep it in that condition. By this treason the Democratic Party is defrauded of one half of the immense patronage and influence controlled by the Board. An additional reason why the Tammany Ring should be repudiated by the Democracy of the State is, that its shameful corruptions disgrace and weaken our party, and furnish our Republican opponents with their most effective arguments. We, therefore, present the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Democratic Union Organization of the City of New-York respectfully protest against the nomination by the approaching State Convention of any person for a State officer who is in any manner identified with the Tammany Ring.

Tammany Delegates to the State Convention.

The delegates elected at the Democratic Primaries held in the various Assembly Districts on Saturday evening, met in Tammany Hall at 12 M. yesterday, and selected from their number one from each district to represent them at the Democratic State Convention to be held in Syracuse on Wednesday next. The following are the delegates chosen:

Dist.	Delegates.	Alternates.
1	John Fox.	Michael C. Murphy.
2	Thos. Coman.	Jacob Koehler.
3	Chas. McCluney.	James Hayes.
4	Wm. M. Tweed.	Wm. Schirmer.
5	Geo. H. Mitchell.	Thos. Nelligan.
6	Wm. H. Tracey.	T. J. Campbell.
7	Geo. N. Purser.	A. S. Sullivan.
8	Richard Schell.	Jno. Scott.
9	Samuel S. Cox.	Wm. Dodge.
10	G. N. Hermann.	Anthony Hartmann.
11	Geo. W. McLean.	Peter Trainor.
12	Magnus Gross.	John E. White.
13	Richard O'Gorman.	Herman Schroeter.
14	Chas. G. Cornell.	Jno. Reilly.
15	S. B. Garvin.	Edward Schleiting.
16	S. J. Tilden.	W. C. O'Brien.
17	Chas. H. Haswell.	N. E. Husted.
18	George Law.	Joel A. Fithian.
19	Jno. J. Freedman.	John Jasper.
20	A. Oakey Hall.	Terrence Farley.
21	H. W. Genet.	Patrick Carroll.

The delegates then adjourned to meet at the Globe Hotel, Syracuse, at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Democratic Workingmen of the Twenty-seventh Ward.

The Democratic Workingmen's Association of the Twentieth Ward met at Millimen's Hall last evening, and recommended BARTHOLOMEW SIMONDS as candidate for Alderman from the Seventh District, asking the indorsement of Tammany Hall.

Democratic Convention in Westchester County.

The Democrats of the Third Assembly District of Westchester County held a Convention at Pine's Bridge, in the township of Yorktown, yesterday, to select delegates to the State, Judicial and Senatorial Conventions. Peter Hamm, of Somers, was elected Chairman, and Jacob Hyatt, of Yorktown, Secretary. The following delegates were chosen:

For State Convention—Wm. Hyatt, Jacob Hyatt, Jr., Wm. Hyatt, Jr., Jacob Hyatt, Wm. Hyatt, Jr., Jacob Hyatt, Jr., Wm. Hyatt, Jr., Jacob Hyatt, Jr., Wm. Hyatt, Jr., Jacob Hyatt, Jr.,